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145 U. S. TROOPS VICTIMS OF TEUTON U-BOAT

2187 SAID SAVED FROM LOST TRANSPORT

OFFICIALS SPEED UP ACTION ON WAR

President's Plea For New Unlimited Power Before Congress Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Representative Carter Glass of Virginia, hurled a stinging criticism at Senator Chamberlain in the House today when he rose in defense of the administration's conduct of the war.

Chamberlain "exaggerated the faults and suppressed the achievements," Glass charged. "The war machine is driving ahead at a pace which is amazing the European nations in arms. We have sent nearly ten times as many men abroad as the French and British missions expected and are training an army far beyond the first estimates," the Virginian asserted, placing a large share of the blame for the unpreparedness at the beginning of the war on Chamberlain as chairman of the Military Affairs committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Shocked by Germany's dramatic stroke at America's transport lines, the American government today gathered itself for the greatest effort it has thrown into the war.

Congress had before it President Wilson's request for unprecedented legislation giving him unparalleled powers for reorganizing and coordinating the entire government war work.

The shipping board announced the formation of an interrelated transportation committee to allocate tonnage and speed up shipment of troops and supplies to France.

Secretary McAdoo offered an issue of \$500,000,000 in indebtedness certificates bearing 4 per cent interest—the second issue heralding the launching of the third additional issues of which will be issued every two weeks until the next loan.

Appeal to Labor

The shipping board put it squarely up to labor to make the shipbuilding program a success.

Administration influence was thrown behind the housing bill before congress in belief that the fate of the shipping program now depends largely upon homes for the workers.

President Wilson apparently is determined to slash red tape mercilessly. In his request for legislation which virtually would empower him to break the fetters of peace time laws, reorganize the government and create or disband bureaus and commissions as he sees fit, is seen a move to stop competitive buying between the army and navy, empower the war industries board to enforce its rulings, now merely advisory, and coordinate various departments now working at cross purposes or duplicating efforts.

And behind the scenes of tremendous war activity the senate military committee went into executive session with Secretary of War Baker and army officers to satisfy their craving for knowledge of the scope of the work under way.

Claim Partial Victory

Critics of the war department, who have crystallized their remedies into the munitions director and war cabinet bills, declared that the president's action was at least a partial vindication for them. They say it is an admission by the chief executive that a shakeup is needed. "We seek by mandatory legislation to effect the reorganization the president has in mind," said one of them. "while the president seeks to do it through permissive legislation."

"The President wants to reorganize the whole government," said Senator Hitchcock. "The military affairs committee does not propose to go that far."

"We will continue our fight for the Chamberlain bills because we believe the reorganization and centralization necessary can be accomplished without granting the President such broad powers as he seeks."

MOTHER SAYS KEYES TOLD HER HE FOUND BOY DEAD THEN CUT OFF HIS HEAD

MRS. DE TURK SAYS SHE ALWAYS KNEW KEYES WAS INSANE

Life History of Degenerate Is Told With Whiskey As His Enemy

Today Mrs. Martha De Turk was under the fire of District Attorney West. She has told her story of the depths to which she says her son sank in crime and degeneracy and filth.

"I am positive that he does not realize today what he has done," said she in closing her testimony given in answer to questions by Keyes' attorney. "I have always thought him to be insane. He is insane. He never knew the difference between right and wrong."

Those closing statements of Mrs. De Turk's are the crux of the defense.

In her testimony the most striking declaration was that in the Los Angeles jail, her son told her that he and the boy were at the De Turk home, and that Keyes' mind was a blank as to what happened.

"Mamma," he said to me," testified Mrs. De Turk, "when I woke up, the boy was dead. I took him to a field and cut his head off."

A large share of the testimony given by Mrs. De Turk has been a recital of acts of her son covering the last sixteen or seventeen years. He is now almost 30 years of age.

Throughout the trial the son has maintained an attitude of stupidity. He has spent part of the time slouching down on his hand as though dozing. Under Sheriff Iman has sat beside him, and is convinced that Keyes has been paying close attention to what has been going on. Sheriff Jackson is strongly of the same opinion.

This morning the sheriff sat beside Keyes when District Attorney West was pressing Mrs. De Turk hard upon some of her statements that the district attorney considered contradictory. Mrs. De Turk declared:

"I don't care what you do with him. I don't want him, but you have got to respect me."

Keyes suddenly started forward in his seat toward District Attorney West, who sat but four or five feet away.

"You better—" he muttered when Sheriff Jackson took Keyes by the shoulder and held him in his seat.

"—he'd better respect her," said Keyes to Jackson. Keyes then fell back into his former attitude of drowsiness.

The Whiskey Question

Throughout her testimony Mrs. De Turk has held forward her desire throughout the years to keep Edward from drink. She has charged that Edward was used by Newport Beach men to go to Anaheim for liquor for them. She says that she has pleaded with them not to let him have liquor.

That the officers have in mind bringing of testimony to show that Mrs. De Turk went with her son on the trips to Anaheim was learned at the courthouse this morning.

Mother Takes Stand

"Mrs. De Turk, take the stand," said Attorney Carpenter, calling Keyes' mother as the first witness.

In his opening statement Carpenter had declared that Mrs. De Turk in the last fourteen years has sacrificed all for her son. He was her youngest child, and his misfortunes had made him dearer to her. Throughout his miserable existence, into whatever depths he had fallen, the mother always did her best for him.

In his opening statement Carpenter had told the jury that he would show Keyes' life to be as he detailed it. Mrs. De Turk was his principal witness.

Her story began with the baby's birth in a box car in the Oregon woods twenty-eight years ago. For three months after birth, the baby was subject to convulsions. His brothers and

PROSECUTION HAS PRESENTED CHAIN OF STRONG POINTS

Los Angeles Jailer Testifies He Thinks Mind That of a Child's

Here are the main points in the proof made by District Attorney L. A. West and Deputy Koepsel against Edward Keyes, on trial for the beheading of 11-year-old Leonard Herwick, on Dec. 7:

Keyes is identified as the man who at 6:30 on Dec. 7 lured Leonard Herwick into his automobile.

The boy's body shows evidences of having been subjected to an attack. The defense admits Keyes' degeneracy.

Keyes confessed to officers. The story of the crime as told by him is recited. Acting upon Keyes' confession, the boy's head was located. That is the strongest point in the evidence.

In the stove at Keyes home are found a badge, a buckle and buttons. The father of the boy identifies the badge and buckle as Leonard's.

Blood and blood marks are found at Keyes' home, and blood marks are upon his automobile.

Yesterday afternoon the prosecution completed its case against Edward Keyes. Its fight for the hanging of Keyes, however, is nowhere yet done. A list of witnesses is being prepared today for rebuttal. There is no question but that the prosecution is confident that there are many weak spots in the story of the defense. There is no question but that some of the statements made by Mrs. De Turk, mother of Keyes, will be challenged by rebuttal witnesses.

Following the closing of the prosecution's direct case yesterday, Attorney Carpenter outlined the defense, declaring that on the night of Dec. 7, Keyes was intoxicated and insane.

Mrs. De Turk took the stand and remained there from 2 until 4. At that time Los Angeles officers were called that they might give their testimony and go home. Mrs. De Turk's testimony is detailed in another column.

Dr. Riley's Letter

H. B. Blakeley, deputy county clerk of Los Angeles, took the stand to present the records of Los Angeles county in the case in which Keyes was declared insane. In 1916 Keyes was arrested on a felony charge, involving degeneracy. Attorney Carpenter and Mrs. De Turk had insanity proceedings brought, and Keyes was declared insane and was committed to the State Hospital at Patton.

The transcript of the testimony taken then shows that Mrs. De Turk gave the life history of her son in much the same manner as she has given it at the trial here, only less fully. On July 30, Keyes was discharged from Patton.

A letter written by Dr. Riley, superintendent at Patton, to Attorney Carpenter was filed in the Los Angeles records, and it was that letter that Carpenter seeks for use here when Dr. Riley is called as a witness. It was for this letter as much as anything else that Blakeley was summoned.

It was agreed that Blakeley should leave the original in the hands of the clerk here until such time as the trial is over, after which it shall be replaced with a certified copy.

A letter written to Dr. Riley by Carpenter will show the letter to Dr. Riley and will ask him questions concerning Keyes. This is the letter in which Dr. Riley turns Keyes over to the custody of his mother, saying that Keyes will always be weak minded but that he ought to get along all right under proper supervision.

Los Angeles Officers

Jailer George Gallagher of Los Angeles was put on the stand by Carpenter, and he testified that Keyes had been under his charge at the jail frequently and for periods of weeks and months. He became well acquainted with the man and con-

NATIONAL GUARD CONTINGENT ON BOARD ILL-FATED SHIP

Every Possible Care Being Given Men on Coasts of Northern Ireland

BY ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—A troop ship—the Tuscania—with 2179 American soldiers aboard, has been torpedoed and sunk with the probable loss of more than 200 lives.

From out of the war zone 2000 miles away this news today brought sharply before America the grim realization that Germany at last has struck successfully at this country's transport service.

It marked the opening of the long-expected U-boat drive against the increasing lines of United States troops being sent to the French front—and Germany's greatest strike of the war against this country.

Contingents Carried

The Tuscania, British Cunard liner pressed into transport service for the American War Department, carried scattered units of headquarters and Companies D, E and F of the Twentieth Engineers; 107 Military Police; 107th Supply Train; 106th, 158th and 213th Aero Squadrons, and replacement detachments and 51 unassigned officers, 32nd division. The last included Michigan and Wisconsin national guardsmen and regular army engineers.

The first dispatches at the War Department stated that of 2179 troops on the vessel the survivors numbered 1100 so far as could be learned. These were landed at Bunecrana and Larne, on the north coast of Ireland.

Later dispatches from the American embassy in London, however, stated that out of 2172 troops aboard, 1912 were saved.

Throughout the night the great Government wireless stations and cables were pressing for details of the disaster.

Worked All Night

Until early this morning Secretaries Baker and Daniels remained at their desks directing the work of inquiry. Early today a long cable came through which is now being decided and which is expected to picture details of the attack.

The Twentieth Engineers are foresters recruited for pioneer and communication work behind the battle lines. The regiment is the largest in the service and its members are drawn from every national guard and national army division as well as the regular army and general recruiting channels.

The troops have been in training for their special work at the American University at Washington. A large number of college men, including experts in forestry, are in the regiment.

The aero squadrons were drawn from various divisions.

National Guard Troops

The remaining troops, comprising more than two-thirds of those on board were Michigan and Wisconsin guardsmen. The 107th Engineers' train was composed of the former First Battalion of Michigan Engineers and the 107th Military Police was drawn from the Fourth and Sixth Wisconsin Infantry.

The 107th Supply train was drawn from the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wisconsin Infantry.

The report from the War Department pointed out that the Tuscania was a British steamship and not an American transport. This was taken to mean that the recent agreement of the British to put all shipping facilities possible at our carrying soldiers, United States and supplies already has been put into effect.

Reports that survivors were being taken to Belfast led to the supposition that the Tuscania was bound for Liverpool by way of the north Irish coast. It was suggested by officials that rough seas may have separated the vessel from its convoy. Fear that survivors may be suffering acutely from exposure is thought to have prompted the American embassy at London and Belfast officials to hasten plans for the immediate relief of the troops on their arrival at the Irish port.

Assistance Rushed In

The military attaché and another army officer to Belfast, Ireland, the American embassy at London cabled

LOCAL MAN FIRST ON LIST SURVIVORS OF TEUTON SUB VICTIM

Son-in-law of Robt. McFadden, Santa Ana Pioneer, Among First 30 Landed

In the list of thirty known survivors of the sinking of the Tuscania the dispatches give the name of First Lieutenant Albert Schweissinger, known to many Santa Anans as the husband of Anna McFadden Schweissinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFadden, Santa Ana pioneers, now of Los Angeles, and a sister of Arthur J. McFadden of Irvine.

First Lieutenant Schweissinger was an officer of Company E, Twentieth Engineers. He went to training camp at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., in the first training camp, and was at Camp American University, Washington, D. C., when orders were received to start for Europe.

Mrs. Schweissinger is in Los Angeles with her parents. The report of the sinking of the vessel brought also the news that Company E was aboard, but the anxiety at the McFadden home was greatly relieved this morning when an extra included the lieutenant's name among the survivors.

Others Aboard

P. G. Beissel of this city is deeply concerned as to the fate of Othmar Seiben, a nephew, who is a member of Company F, Wis., engineers, and was on the torpedoed transport. The young man is 19 years of age. His home is at Hastings, but he went to Wisconsin to enlist as a volunteer in the engineer corps. He is the only child of a sister of Mr. Beissel, Felsel's sister, Mrs. J. W. Hagaman, formerly of this city and now of Redondo, but recently received a letter from him, in which he advised her that he was on the way to a point of embarkation. He was stationed at Ft. McArthur.

A report was current on the street this morning that Harold Brown, formerly a clerk at the Wardrobe, was on the boat. Brown has been in France for several weeks, and Mrs. Ralph Mead has had one or two letters from him since his arrival there. In one he stated that he was within a short distance of the front lines. He is a member of Company D, Second Battalion, Engineers' Corps, being in the commissary department.

HOPE HELD THAT ALL SURVIVORS NOT YET REPORTED IN RESCUE

BY ROBERT J. BENDER
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Germany's sub sea attack on the transport liner Tuscania has netted a probable toll of 145 U. S. officers and soldiers—and 65 others.

According to official and unofficial reports compiled here, the total missing from the U-boat thrust Tuesday is 210, with 2,187 saved.

As the casualty list dwindled during the morning hours, hope was held out that later reports from isolated points on the Irish and Scottish coast will show even more rescued.

The shock of the tragedy left its mark on official Washington today. Secretary of War Baker issued a statement to comfort "those whose sons and brothers have been added to the nation's heroic dead."

REVENGE DETERMINED UPON

Meantime the purpose of the war government and members of congress relentlessly to repay Germany for her stealthy thrust at America's men was strongly avowed.

"We must and we will win this war," Secretary Baker declared. The sentiment was echoed in the navy department, all other departments of the government which were going ahead full steam, and congress.

Leading senators called upon the citizens of the United States for redoubled efforts to defeat the Germans.

TUSCANIA WAS WARNED

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The Tuscania was warned by another vessel that had spotted the torpedo, and was in the act of turning when the missile struck, an eyewitness declared today. The Tuscania was signalled, "Torpedo coming, dodge." The transport started to turn but was caught broadside before she could swerve into the clear. She sank in forty-eight minutes, with two explosions aboard shortly before she went down, it is declared. Trouble in lowering the lifeboats owing to the list of the ship and damage caused a number of casualties. Ten additional survivors were landed on the coast of Scotland this afternoon. The men were in one boat.

REPORT OF NUMBERS ABOARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—United Press dispatches from London today indicated the total number of men and officers of the U. S. army lost or missing on the Tuscania is 145, divided as follows:

43 officers and 102 men.

These figures showed the total officers on board as 119, the total men as 2,037; the total officers saved as 76 and the total men saved as 1,935. In addition the United Press dispatches reported among the saved sixteen ship's officers, 125 crew, three passengers and 32 unassigned, making a grand total of all saved of 2,187. The same figures gave the total of all lost as 210 of which evidently 65 were classified as not belonging to the United States army.

SURVIVORS LANDED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Six hundred survivors of the transport Tuscania have been landed at Larne, Ireland, war department dispatches this morning announced.

Names of thirty survivors, landed at Islay also were forwarded.

The 600 are believed to be a part of the 1,100 reported landed at Bunecrana and Larne in last night's war department dispatches. These dispatches, however, carried no mention of survivors having been landed at Islay.

The dispatch, the first received since late last night, told briefly that British hospital ships were being rushed to the scene of the disaster and every means of succor was being used.

FIRST NAMES RECEIVED

Following are the thirty reported at Fort Ellen, Islay, Scotland, to which the British are sending doctors, rations and clothing:

Second Lieutenant Frank L. Maker, engineer reserves and the following, belonging to company E, sixth battalion, twentieth engineers forestry:

First Lieut. Schweissinger, Sergeant Harry A. Kelly, Corporal Howard E. Bullock, Corporal Wm. A. Cherry.

Privates Oliver Bowman, Bale C. Haslett, Wm. A. Hickling, Chas. H. Imick, Harry A. Keeler, Lloyd Leadbetter, James T. Moss, Walter Maccarek, David Fox, Edward P. Peterson, J. W. Redd, O. M. Roberts, L. Tersia, Ralph Uppus, A. Van Andenriesche, Colman White, John S. Williams, Edward L. Anderson, Tom A. Ashby, Frank F. Biaz, James Baysy, Alexander N. Bush.

Of the 107th supply train, Private H. Kliest, 158th aero squadron; Privates John B. Fleming and Edward Ellingman.

British authorities have wired instructions to their commands in Scotland and Ireland to afford our troops from the Tuscania every possible assistance and to furnish them with clothing requirements, the war department said. Officers have been dispatched from Liverpool, Glasgow and London to points in Ireland where survivors now are and they will wire names immediately. The American consul at Belfast reports 600 survivors at Larne. As soon as they are properly outfitted they will be brought to Winchester.

GREAT RESCUE WORK DONE FOR SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The greatest—and perhaps the most dramatic—rescue work of the war has been accomplished in saving American soldiers aboard the torpedoed Tuscania, officials believe.

The picture of destroyers, patrol boats and hospital ships maneuvering about the sinking vessel, skillfully directed by British naval officers, with a net saving of 50 per cent of the threatened lives, is one that will reflect glory in naval history, officials say.

Prompt and general co-operation was offered by British and Americans on both sea and land, it is stated. Red Cross workers, army officials and civilians were sent to points where the survivors landed with instructions to do everything and spend all the money necessary to care for the soldiers.

TUSCANIA ALREADY CARRIED THOUSANDS

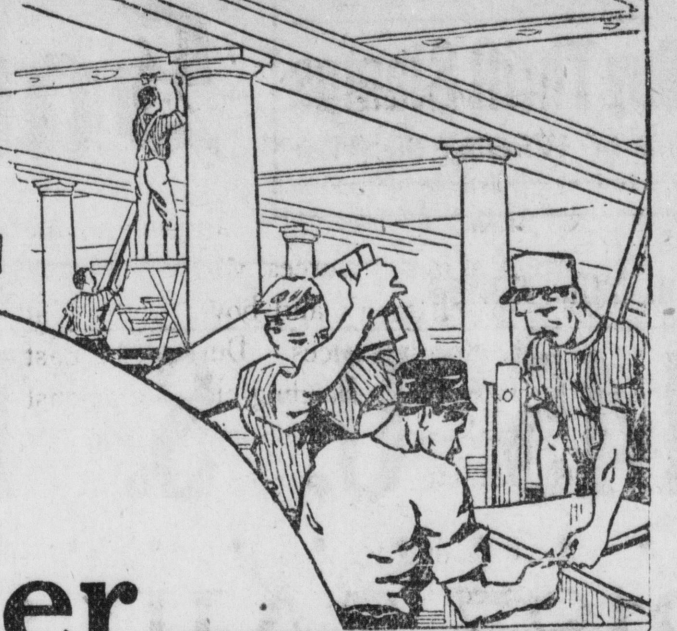
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Thousands of American troops have been carried across the sea by the British steamer Tuscania, just fallen victim to a German submarine off the Irish coast. She took the old 69th New York to France. The Tuscania was of 14,348 tons gross. She was the crack vessel of



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White and colored Middies \$1.19, \$1.48

\$2.25 French Kid Gloves \$1.48

Navy, green, red 5/4 to 6 3/4

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Lot 1—sizes 18 to 20 and 24 73c
Lot 2—sizes 18 to 36 \$1.25

Men's Silk NECK TIES

Four-in-Hand AT JUST HALF PRICE

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Just like finding gold dollars—all new stock

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Stripes, Dots and Figured designs

75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

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All popular colors, both in light and dark shades—Exceptional values

\$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 Yard

40-INCH SILK CHIFFON 1/2 PRICE

Big range of colors including Black and White

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36-inch Silk Crepe Poplin, 98c

A beautiful lustrous material in big assortment of popular colors; a special value.

Rebuilding Sale Price 98c

36-inch Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chine

A pretty soft, silky material in light shades—pink, light blue and white

Yard 50c, 75c and \$1.00

36-inch Nippon Tussah Silk, 93c

Evening shades: pink, blue, maize and gold

Rebuilding Sale, 93c Yard

The extraordinary growth of this business requires that we expand immediately. Contractors and masons are now at work rebuilding and enlarging our store. When completed we will have about one-third more space in which to serve our rapidly increasing patronage. As always, we are willing to share our success with those who have made this prosperity possible—our customers, and, inasmuch as this month makes the first Free Stamp Offering, we are going to have a double sale—a Rebuilding Sale and a Free Stamp offer.

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30 J.N. Stamps Free to Everybody

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J.N.

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About 500 yards broken lines, only one or two pieces of a kind, in plaid and stripe effects; many of them in all wool, some half wool, but every piece in the lot is worth more than double. A big range of materials, Cicilians, Crepe, Mohair, Panama, Nunveiling, Manish Mixtures and Stripes.

Rebuilding Sale Price 39c yard

Coatings 1/4 Off

Any coating in our entire stock at one-fourth less than regular price. White, black and novelty mixtures.

28-inch Corduroy, dark green, navy, rose, gold and red . . . 79c

32-inch Corduroy, Copenhagen, green, pink and gray . . . \$1.19

Silk Boudoir Caps at . . . 1/2 Price

Girls' Wash Dresses at Rebuilding Sale Prices

Wool Dress Goods

Just a few of the many special values that we are showing in our Dress Goods Department. These goods were all bought before the advance in prices and could not be duplicated today for double.

36-in. Storm Serge, black and navy only 75c

36-in. Storm and French Serge, navy, black and Copenhagen . . . \$1.00

50-in. Storm Serge, navy and Copenhagen . . . \$1.50

48-in. Gaberdine, navy only, yard . . . \$2.50

52-in. Satin Finish Prunella, navy and black, yard . . . \$2.50

50-in. Wool Jersey Cloth (special) . . . \$2.95

54-in. Sport Cloth, in red, gold, turquoise and rose, a beautiful soft wool mixture for middies, blouses and sport skirts, Rebuilding Sale price, yard . . . \$3.50

56-in. Jersey Wool Serge, olive and myrtle, yard . . . \$3.00

48-in. Broad Cloth, black only, yard . . . \$2.50

56-in. Broadcloth, black only, yard . . . \$3.00

56-in. Broadcloth, black, burgandy and navy, chiffon finish . . . \$3.50

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Lot 1—Real Silk— Lot 5 . . . \$17.50

at . . . \$6.95 Lot 6 . . . \$19.95

Lot 2 . . . \$8.95 Lot 7 . . . \$22.50

Lot 3 . . . \$10.95 Lot 8 . . . \$24.75

Lot 4 . . . \$14.95

Auto and Street Coats

Large fur collars, large cloth collars, some with plush trimmings, large belts, pockets, etc. Black, burgundy, green, navy, etc.

Lot 1 . . . \$11.75 Lot 4 . . . \$19.95

Lot 2 . . . \$12.95 Lot 5 . . . \$24.75

Lot 3 . . . \$16.95 Lot 6 . . . \$26.75

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\$45.00 PONY PLUSH, black, black satin lined; one only . . . \$16.95

\$40.00 PLAIN BLACK SALTS; Peco Seal Plush; one only . . . \$20.00

\$60.00 MODE SILK PLUSH, short Auto Coat, figured silk lining; one only . . . \$24.73

\$65.00 BLACK PLUSH, Nutra Fur trimming on large pockets, belts, large collar; bro-caded silk lining . . . \$27.50

One Lot of Odds and Ends \$298

Women's Coats \$298

Children's Coats \$298

Some sold for as much as \$20.00

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2 to 7 years—Blouse and Pants. Colored and white combinations.

\$2 Suits \$1.33 \$2.50 Suits \$1.63

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Exceptionally beautiful patterns in dainty stripes, black and white, pink and blue, brown and blue, navy and green.

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36-inch Striped Sport Silk, 53c

Two colors only: rose with pink stripe, and dark green with light green stripe

Special Sale Price, Yard, 53c

27-inch Plain Silk Messaline, 69c

All colors, both light and dark.

36-inch Silk Shantung, 39c

Four shades: rose and pink, corn and light blue, with dash and corn sport grounds

Rebuilding Sale Price, Yard, 39c

36-inch Princess Silk, 48c

Very pretty silky material in a large assortment of dark and light colors

Rebuilding Sale Price, Yard, 48c

36-inch Foundation Silk, 33c

Navy, rose, black, light green, light blue and white. Note the width—36 inches

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27-inch Silk and Cotton Mull, 19c

Light blue, corn, white, pink and black. A special bargain

For Quick Selling, Yard, 19c

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36-inch plain Taffetas, Messalines and Satins, in light and dark colors; some in short lengths and many in dress lengths.

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There are many lines of goods which we are now selling below present wholesale prices.

The point is just this—goods we are now selling at a normal profit, cannot be replaced for next fall delivery at the prices we are now getting.

We recommend and urge our patrons to anticipate their clothing needs, to buy at present prices clothing for future use.

Hill & Carden
112 West Fourth St.

NATIONAL GUARD CONTINGENT ON BOARD ILL- FATED SHIP

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

The State Department at 11 o'clock last night.

Representatives of the American Red Cross and the Y. M. C. A. also have gone with full power to spend all the money needed and authorization of the British Red Cross to use its equipment at Belfast. The lord mayor of Belfast is giving all the aid possible.

The initial communication of the disaster by the War Department was: Early Announcement

"The War Department has been officially advised that the steamship Tuscania was torpedoed and sunk and that survivors numbering 1100 as far as could be ascertained at that time were landed at Buncrana and Larne in Ireland. There was a total of 2179 U. S. troops on this vessel. No names of the persons lost has been reported to the War Department and no names of survivors were reported."

The fact that the Tuscania was the first large troop ship to be torpedoed on the Atlantic eastbound led officials here to conclude that the expected drive of the Germans against American transports is on. The slight losses, by latest reports, are strikingly lower than those of British transports lost early in the war in the Mediterranean Sea.

Efficiency Shown

This was accounted for in official circles by the elaborate torpedo drills on every American transport ship and by the efficiency of the convoy system. The names of survivors of the disaster began to reach the War Department by cable from Belfast early this morning. It was announced that the names will be given out in their entirety in order to prevent undue anxiety of relatives. The initial list included twenty national guard and regular army officers.

National army troops transferred to the guard to bring the division to war strength were included in the units. If any of these are lost they will be the first soldiers called to the colors by conscription to die overseas.

Grim Coincidence

It was grim coincidence that the news of the Tuscania disaster should follow rapidly on the heels of a statement by Secretary of the Navy Daniels that "the war against the U-boat is being won," and announcement in London that the United States is waging a successful campaign against the U-boat, with new devices. Owing to the fact that the Tuscania is a British ship, it is believed the United States did not have vessels in her convoy.

The first word of the attack, indicating a thousand Americans had been lost, reached here late last night. Secretary of War Baker and Secretary Daniels were both in their offices when the news came in. It was held up for some time in the hope that later dispatches would show a greater number of survivors.

President Wilson was at the theater

MRS. DE TURK SAYS SHE ALWAYS KNEW KEYES WAS INSANE

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sisters grew up to be healthy and big. He was neither.

His Head Injured

When 14 years old while he and his mother lived at Jerome, Ariz., they went to a picnic at Agua Caliente, and in the sports with the cowboys, Edward leaped down to pluck a chicken's head, and he fell. He was ruptured. His head struck some rocks, and he was unconscious for twenty-four hours.

He was taken to Los Angeles for treatment. He would not go to school. Before his accident he was bright in school. After it he was poor in memory.

He was about to be operated upon when he escaped, and became a tramp. He went to Chicago. He came back dirty and ragged, and his mother learned that he had been drinking whiskey. He preferred the company of his dogs to the company of human beings. He lived in the river bed in a barrel, and slipped into his mother's kitchen at night for food. He was operated upon for rupture. Again he ran away, and went to Chicago. He lived with tramps and his habits became bestial in the extreme.

Becomes a Drunkard

He became a drunkard. He visited saloons at Vernon constantly. Every cent he could get hold of was spent for drink. While intoxicated he committed crimes, for which he was arrested. The mother pleaded with him to quit drink. She gave him the Keeley cure, and for a time he remained sober. He joined a club and went to be initiated. He did not return for three days, and he came home in his old condition.

Through drink he sank lower and lower. He lived in a cave with snakes, and on one occasion he brought a snake home with him in his pocket.

In 1916 when he was charged with crime, she thought the best thing to do for him was to send him to the insane asylum. After he was committed to the asylum, she visited him frequently and as he appeared docile she concluded to try to get him in her charge. She moved to Newport Beach, thinking that being near a dry town would help her son keep from drink.

She bought chickens and an automobile, and on July 30 her son was sent from Patton to her.

Living on Ranch

Her son was engaged in gathering garbage at Newport Beach and the Palisades, feeding his chickens and his hogs, and in doing other things about the place. She watched him constantly, believing that he would not get into trouble if she could keep him away from liquor.

She found, however, that he was making trips to Anaheim, that a certain bunch at Newport Beach were employing him to go to Anaheim and get booze, paying him by giving him some of the booze he brought for them. She warned Newport Beach officers to look out for him, and she told the bank not to cash checks for him, drawn on her account.

On one occasion she stood in the road in order to catch the machine coming back from Anaheim. She pleaded with a man who was with her son and a Mexican not to let her son have any liquor and to stop sending him to Anaheim. She took a jug of whiskey and broke it. Her son became alarmed, and told her the men were threatening to harm him if he did not return that whiskey to them. She refused.

He Disappears

In October Edward disappeared, and she got a telegram from a physician in Bedford, Ore., telling her that her son was taken up there in an insane condition, but he was improving mentally and physically. He had told the doctor that he was hit on the head in a fight at Vernon on September 30. The telegram asked that Mrs. De Turk send him \$100.

After examining the telegram, the district attorney withdrew his objection to its introduction, intimating that it contained something that favored his case. Presumably the district attorney is going to admit Keyes' drunkenness, which under the law is no excuse for crime.

In her testimony Mrs. De Turk named Henry Kemme, a blacksmith at Newport Beach, as one of those who on one occasion went to Anaheim with her son.

Through all of the trips that Keyes took to Anaheim, his mother did her best to keep her eye upon him and to stop having him go.

The Blood Marks

The day before Thanksgiving she and Edward prepared to take some chickens to Jailer Gallagher and other Los Angeles officers who had been kind to Edward. Edward did not like to kill the chickens, but since they were promised Mrs. De Turk insisted that he must. After six chickens had been killed and brought in the house they found that a seventh chicken was needed to go around. Edward went out and caught another chicken, and to Mrs. De Turk's surprise he cut its head off and came walking into the kitchen with the flopping chicken in his hand, blood streaming from the severed neck. She said that is how the blood got on the kitchen floor and upon the wall at the edge of the door.

She and Edward went to Los Angeles and delivered the chickens. They were returning when the shooting at Norwalk occurred.

The Norwalk Shooting

Mrs. De Turk said that Edward was driving. The auto began to go bad, and they made it into Norwalk on the low. Edward stopped to fix the machine and Mrs. De Turk got out to walk around and warm up.

Someone fired at them. Edward thought it was a hold-up. They jumped into the machine, and Edward went as fast as he could make the machine go, yelling: "Hold-up!"

Shots were fired at them. Mrs. De Turk was hit with slugs, and wounded. She lay down in the back of the automobile, where blood was found by officers when they searched the Keyes premises on December 8. Edward turned into the first house where he saw a light, and she rushed into the house, officers came and she was taken to a hospital in Los Angeles, and Edward was taken to jail, but he was soon turned loose.

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In the hospital her greatest worry was that Edward would be an easy victim to liquor. She could not watch him. She heard that he was being sent every other night to Anaheim for booze. When he came to visit her every other day she smelled liquor upon his breath. She felt that he was sinking. She made arrangements to go home just as soon as she could.

In his opening statement Attorney Carpenter had said that he would bring out the excitement of the shooting at Norwalk, the boy's arrest, the taking of an increased amount of whiskey to show that as December 7 approached the boy's mentality broke down, that those preceding events tended to culminate in the utter breaking down of the boy's mind upon the night of December 7.

Morning's Testimony

This morning Attorney Carpenter took up Mrs. De Turk's testimony at the point where she left it yesterday. She told of the arrival of her son at the hospital in Los Angeles about 1 o'clock, December 8, to bring her home. She said he had been drinking. Approaching Santa Ana he became very nervous and seemed sick at the stomach. She got some medicine at Rowley's drug store, and gave it to him. He seemed better.

Approaching home he felt worse, and was taken with a hemorrhage when he went into the house. Dr. Raich was called, and he was taken to the Santa Ana Hospital.

That night officers came. After her son's arrest she talked to him in the Los Angeles jail, and he told her that he did not know what took place. When he woke up the boy was dead. He said he cut the boy's head off.

Cross-Questioning

"He did say to you that he remembered cutting off the boy's head?" asked District Attorney West in opening his cross-examination, which ended at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and Dr. Raich of Newport Beach was called to testify as to the physical condition of Keyes on the evening after the murder. The answer was yes. Attorney Carpenter here stated that the defense does not admit that Keyes killed the boy.

"He may have died of other causes, as we may be able to show," declared Carpenter.

West then turned to the statement that Mrs. De Turk had made concerning her son returning from Anaheim with liquor. She said he was so drunk he had to crawl. He could not walk.

"Yet he drove that machine from Anaheim?" asked

"I have seen him drive when he could not stand up," declared Mrs. De Turk.

"You say you always thought your son was insane, yet after he came to the ranch at Newport Beach you turned this ranch over to him, you put money in the bank for him and gave him a check book?"

"Yes."

"Did he know how to write a check?"

"Yes."

"You have made a statement in which you said that your son once told you that he had done wrong and was the cause of all your troubles. Did he not then know right from wrong?"

"It was only when I argued with him and talked to him and told him that a thing was wrong that he recognized it as wrong. He did not remember from one time to the next."

"On those occasions, he acknowledged the wrong and recognized the wrong?"

"Yes."

Mrs. De Turk has said that Keyes had once appeared naked while company was at Mrs. De Turk's house. West brought out that this was on a dare from a man cook at the house.

"When you were injured at Norwalk, your testimony showed that Edward said: 'I'll shoot the man who shot my mother, even if I am hanged the next minute.' Did he not realize then the consequences of his act should he kill a person?" The answer was yes.

These points were brought out by the district attorney as bearing upon his contention that any person who realizes what he is doing, who knows right from wrong, must suffer the penalty of the law.

Mrs. De Turk said that only on one or two occasions had she allowed her son to drive the automobile alone. She always went with him. She referred to having gone to Anaheim with him.

West said that in the Los Angeles hearing when her son was sent to the asylum, Mrs. De Turk testified that at Jerome, Ariz., before his injury, he won a diamond ring for proficiency in history. In her testimony here she said he won the ring for selling tickets to an entertainment. She said today she did not remember giving the testimony in Los Angeles.

She said her son was not at the door of a store when the shooting at Norwalk started.

Dr. Domann testified

Dr. Domann, who examined Keyes at the Santa Ana hospital on the night after the murder, said that there were numerous marks and scratches upon Keyes' arms and body, indicating that he had been engaged in a struggle. Officers believe that these marks indicate that the Herwick boy fought hard for his life.

Dr. Domann said that he examined Keyes and found that while he was in a nervous condition, Keyes was not as weak as he would have been had he lost a quart of blood, as the defense alleges he lost in a hemorrhage at his home the evening after the murder.

Under Sheriff Iman

Yesterday District Attorney West called Under Sheriff Iman to the stand. Iman not only took an important part in the investigation following the discovery of Leonard's body, but went with the sheriff to the point where the head was found. Iman was the first to locate the head upon the bridge timber where Keyes had told Jackson it would be.

Yesterday afternoon the defense put on Deputy Sheriff Wilson of Los Angeles, who said he saw Keyes on the afternoon after the murder. At that time Keyes appeared to have been drinking.

Jailer Gallagher testified that while Mrs. De Turk was in the hospital she asked him to telephone to Newport Beach and urge Edward not to drink any whiskey.

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SOLDIERS' HEALTH

Some years ago there were two epidemics at a woman's college. The germs came back after Christmas and got to work at a time when resistance was low. There were about forty cases of measles, most of them light, six of scarlet fever, one proving fatal. The infirmary, of course, was full to overflow.

There were a thousand students. Parents of about eight hundred sent frenzied letters and wires to the president. Newspapers made much of the story and a great to-do was had by all. "The college was careless—why, a girl died!"

Among one thousand young women, housed together, assembled for classes and chapel, with every chance for spread of epidemic, forty had measles before the physician got it in check. Six had scarlet fever. In four years there was one death.

Consider any thousand girls between eighteen and twenty-three. Is one death in four years a common rate? It is much more likely to be four in one year or higher.

Remember this when there are scares about the army boys. Some of them have had measles, some pneumonia, a very few meningitis, very many heavy colds.

Would one of them have been ill at home? Would one have died?

Mary Roberts Rinehart ought to know about cantonment hospitals if anybody does, for with nurse's training back of her, and a mother's anxiety for her boy in the army, and many years of experience as a writer, she has been writing about the cantonments for magazines and newspapers for some months. She says:

"Ninety-nine out of a hundred men in the drafted army are receiving better care than they could afford, under the best circumstances, to receive at home."

When a lad has a cold at home, nothing much gets done. He takes a little medicine—and goes about his affairs, infecting everybody he meets.

At a cantonment he gets sent to the hospital for a few days. His being there sends up the hospital rate. But it saves many another lad from the same bad cold.

Where conditions are bad they must be remedied. They will be remedied. They are being remedied right now, as fast as authorities can remedy them.

Meanwhile, it's only fair to remember that statistics must be read with common sense, and that every boy is standing a better chance of health and care than if he were at home.

THE VOICE OF GERMANY

The bravest, clearest voice in Germany today is that of Maximilian Harden. Long suppressed because of his boldness, and kept at administrative work in the commissary department, he has lately been allowed to resume the publication of his magazine. He is once more telling the truth to the German people with all the force and picturesqueness of a writer who is at once a fervent patriot and a literary genius.

His latest notable achievement has been to print, fully and accurately, President Wilson's and Lloyd-George's speeches detailing allied war aims and peace terms. It is the first time they have been so presented in Germany.

"Thoughtful, conscientious men must read quietly and without prejudice the text of these speeches," he says, "the real text." And they are doing it.

Mr. Harden is particularly impressed, as usual, by the terms and spirit of our president's message. He sees in it nothing incompatible with the welfare of Germany. He says, in unforgettable language:

"Firm still is the belief that peace is possible, and that the cleft between the two fighting groups is no longer so wide that it can only be filled up by new heaps of corpses. It will, however, widen into an unbridgeable gulf if again the people refuse to acknowledge a changed world.

"That treaties are sacred, that the burdens of armament and the probability of war may be diminished, that nations may be allowed the right of self-determination these things we also desire."

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man people do. And Harden speaks for them. His magazine, like him, is prophetic of a better age. "Die Zukunft" means "The Future."

SHIPPING LOSSES OF WEEK ABOUT NORMAL

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The admiralty reports fifteen British merchantmen sunk by mine or submarine in the past week. Of these ten were 1600 tons or over, and five were under 1600 tons. Four fishing vessels were also sunk.

The losses are approximately the same as the previous week, when nine British merchantmen of more than 1600 tons, and six of lesser tonnage were destroyed.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Two French steamers of more than 1600 tons and one under that tonnage were sunk during the week ending February 2, by mine or submarine.

The vessels reaching French ports numbered 968 and those clearing from French ports numbered 897 the same week.

ROME, Feb. 7.—The Italian shipping losses by mine or submarine in the week ending February 2 were very light, only one steamer under 1600 tons being sunk.

PAY FOR TRUSTEES TO BE VOTED ON

FULLERTON, Feb. 7.—Two trustees for four years, one for the term of two years, a city clerk and a city treasurer will be elected at the election to be held here on April 8. The terms of City Trustees Davis, Hiltcher and Woodward expire at that time. One of the features of the election will be the submission of a proposition to pay the city trustees \$10 per month.

RAINS IN NORTH DO MILLIONS DOLLARS OF GOOD TO FOOD CROPS

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Although the cattle regions in the Salinas Valley and in the San Benito county still are gripped by drought, the rains of the last 24 hours have saved millions of California food products and indications early today were that more rain which would reach the driest regions, is coming.

San Luis Obispo county, receiving .80 of an inch of rain during the last 24 hours, has benefited the most. Reports early today from that section were that another day's downpour would increase the value of cattle there \$10 a head.

The weather bureau announced yesterday's rainfall as follows: San Francisco, 1.04; San Jose, .20; Red Bluff, .58; Eureka, .64; Sacramento, .54; San Luis Obispo, .80.

CONTRACTS LET AT RIVERSIDE WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Contracts have been let for the buildings at the army aviation school at Riverside, Cal., it was announced today. It is understood that more than a million dollars is involved in the deals.

D. C. UNDER COAL RATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The District of Columbia yesterday went on coal ration. Under order of the local fuel administration, one family can purchase no more than three bushels of coal a day.

KILLED IN EXPLOSION

CAMP DONIPHAN, Okla., Feb. 7.—The premature explosion of a six-inch shell is today assigned as the cause of the bursting of a French "155" here, killing three soldiers in training, one a captain. Two other privates were probably fatally injured.

Bud Flivver's Observations

*** Yesterday morning—I got a letter—From Tessie Dalzel—Over at Goshen Junction—
*** And it was written—On pink paper—That smelled like—Hair oil—Or something—
*** And her young soul—Seemed to be—Filled with woe—And she asked me—What did I—Think of showers—
*** And I don't know—What kind of showers—She means—
*** And if she means—Rain showers—I think they're nice—
*** And if she means—Gift showers—I could be—Put in jail—For what I think—about them—
*** And it reminds me—Of Arabelle Tucker—That lives next door—To us—
*** And Arabelle—Has a lot of friends—Among the girls—In the church—And the clubs—And everywhere—
*** And one was—Going to get married—And three of her chums—Took turn about—And gave showers—
*** And Arabelle was invited—To bring her presents—To all of them—And she thought—She had to—And she did—
*** And they gave—A wooden shower—And a china shower—And a linen shower—And it showered—Pretty near—Every day—For two weeks—
*** And some of—Her friends—Began to give—Stork showers—For Mrs. Sylvester Dunn Brown—
*** And it showered again—For about a month—And Arabelle—Got in—Most of the showers—
*** And when all—The showers were over—There were things enough—To stock the—Average baby—For fifteen years—
*** And I was just thinking—How accommodating—Friends are—When they give showers—For some chum—
*** And they ask in—Everybody the chum—Ever knew—Or ever heard of—
*** And it seems to me—It's an awfully—Polite way—To take up a collection—Of presents—For somebody—By Bud.

The Forum

Editorials By
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More About Those Bridge Bonds

Santa Ana, Calif., Feb. 5, 1918.

Editor Register:—May I talk a little in print "About Those Bridge Bonds?"

I will admit without argument that the present bridge on North Main street is not a fitting advertisement for so progressive a community, but that it is a necessity to build a new one at this time by the sale of bonds, which will add much to an already heavy tax burden owing to the war, I do not admit.

Mr. Maryatt at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees said that he had a written statement from an Engineer of high standing that the present Main Street bridge could be made absolutely safe for the next six or eight years by the expenditure of not to exceed \$500.00 and he was not permitted to read it. Is that fair to the taxpayer?

The life of a structure of the type of the Main Street bridge is from eighteen to twenty-five years, with the exception of the flooring and stringers, and as this bridge was built in 1896 it still has many years of usefulness, with proper repair and care. I have examined it and I do not think anyone will dispute me when I say that there is not a member of the structure outside of the floor and stringers which is stressed to a dangerous point by present loads, which are daily much greater than the engineers employed by the city have stated it would safely carry.

Again, why not give to the public the statement of the Pacific Electric Engineers, that the bridge is perfectly safe? And why not make the Pacific Electric pay 40 per cent of the cost of the new bridge, as they

did the present one, instead of 16 per cent?

Less than a month ago the Federal Government sent out the request to every county and municipality to cease all construction work, except that of a military nature, and not to vote or issue bonds during the war, as the labor and materials thus released were urgently needed.

In the face of this appeal we are asked to vote bonds for a structure we can do without for the period of our country's need, and further for a structure so designed as to use an unnecessary amount of steel, which the government needs badly, instead of a greater bulk of concrete the materials for which are cheap and accessible and not in such demand by reason of the war.

In view of all the arguments which may be brought up, only a very few of which I have touched upon, why waste some \$3000.00 on an election for a proposition foredoomed to defeat if forced upon the people at this time, when one-sixth of that amount expended will give us a safe bridge for several years to come?

These points are not presented with the intention of censuring anyone, but in order that we may have a fair and square discussion of the matter.

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SUCCESSFUL RAID

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Liverpool troops successfully raided enemy positions east of Armentieres last night taking several prisoners and machine guns. Field Marshal Haig announced today, "Our casualties were light," he said. Southeast of Cambrai and south of Lens, he reported German artillery.

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MISSIONARY MEETING

United Presbyterian Women
Knit and Hear An Instructive Program

The Women's Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church held very interesting meeting in the church yesterday, the Ladies' Aid meeting at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Steele Finley conducted the study, "The Missionary Milestone," while the ladies were busy with their knitting.

At noon, the committee composed Mrs. D. F. Cook, Mrs. H. G. Copeland, Mrs. T. Eische, Mrs. M. A. Eische and Mrs. Burdick, announced that the luncheon was ready. It was served in the church dining room, thirty-five ladies enjoying the menu. The tables were beautiful with vases of pink roses.

The ladies continued their knitting until 2:30, when Mrs. J. G. Kennedy, president of the missionary society, called the meeting to order. Mrs. J. C. Breckenridge led the devotional service and reports of the various secretaries were given. The thank offering secretary reported that the entire amount was \$57.50 for the Santa Ana Missionary Society.

Mrs. D. Kellogg, the Lady of the Watch Tower, gave some interesting notes of news. Mrs. W. M. Smart, Mrs. Juliette Smith, and Mrs. John McFadden were appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Mrs. Martha Thompson. Miss Rosaline Kellogg read a letter from Miss Brotherson of India. Miss Sarah Finley read a letter from Will Warren at Jacksonville, Fla., thanking the committee for the splendid Christmas box sent to him from the church, and it was much enjoyed by other soldier boys as well as himself. Several of the ladies also thanked the committee for boxes received by their sons.

Mrs. J. R. Baker gave a very interesting talk on the study of "The African Trail," using a map to illustrate the geography of the country.

This study promises to be very interesting. The meeting adjourned till Wednesday, March 6.

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Del Monte Catsup, small...13c
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When the spirit for all effort
Fades away.
Then's the time to catch at self
And face with courage
Of a noble resolution
All the fray.

Don't give up because the shadows
Seem to linger;
Don't go down because it seems
No use to try.
There's an hour when the sun-
dered
Clouds will vanish
And the sun in mounting beauty
Deck the sky.

Every toiler has his worry
And his trouble;
Every life must live
A little bit of gloom.
All the wonder is that there's
So much to cheer us,
That the roughest path
Winds somewhere into bloom.

Blows may crush but not defeat
us
If we really
With a spirit for the future
In our souls.
In the silence of life's sorrow
Pity blossoms
And the music of redemption
Sweetly rolls.
—The Bentztown Bard, in Balfi-
more Sun.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson, Three
Score and Ten, Enjoys a
Happy Day Tuesday

Having attained her 70th milestone Tuesday, Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson was guest of honor at a dinner party given her at the home of her son, J. E. Nelson, of 707 East Third street.

A centerpiece of handsome, large Maman Cochet rose buds graced the table, and a birthday cake bearing sixteen candles was a feature of the dinner.

Covers were laid for twelve, including the hosts and son, Kenneth.

Those congratulating Mrs. Nelson were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson and two sons, Orlyn and Fred, Mrs. C. H. Rutledge, Miss Myrtle Nelson.

Interesting P-T Meeting

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Roosevelt school held a most interesting session Tuesday afternoon. The children of the Third, Fourth and Fifth grades contributed a truly wonderful program, exemplifying their training in physical exercises. The result was worthy of a place in the moving pictures.

A large number of parents attended and at the close of the program, adjourned to the kindergarten and listened to instructive reports of the convention held in Orange.

Prof. J. A. Cranston in an interesting talk outlined the war relief work and the splendid progress of the thrift stamp campaign, especially in the school.

The next P-T. A. meeting will be held March 5 in the evening and a fine program will be offered for the fathers and mothers.

Welcomed New Members

The Royal Neighbors held a meeting last Tuesday afternoon and one member was obligated and she will be initiated with a class later.

After the business session, a social period was enjoyed and a committee composed of Mrs. M. E. McKee, Mrs. D. O. Nevins and Mrs. T. F. McDonald served dainty refreshments.



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HOW TO MEET PROBLEMS

Dr. Wm. A. Snyder, Holly-
wood School, Speaks to
Poly High P. T.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Poly High School met last night, the president, Mrs. J. R. Baker, presiding. The program opened with a solo by Edward Burns, which was very much appreciated. A prayer by Dr. J. G. Kennedy followed. Prof. D. K. Hammond then introduced Prof. Snyder of Hollywood school, who spoke for nearly three-quarters of an hour on the problems of the times and how to solve them. He told how to win the war and how to give instruction to the boys and girls that they may make good during the war and in the reconstruction after the war is over.

Mr. Snyder spoke of the West being slow to take hold of the practical things. Many girls in the East are expected to learn plots of land themselves the coming year. He said the "stay at homes" must produce three times as much and they must be taught to conserve strength by learning to use all kinds of modern machinery for all kinds of industries, and learn just how to utilize the power of machines. Girls must learn to sew and cook and conserve on clothes for time is very valuable in all work.

We must learn to live with others as well as ourselves. He accepted vocational work, and a real problem is how to awaken the sluggard or those without any vision.

A vocational conference is soon to be held to help the pupils to choose their life work. A committee was appointed to arrange for the same, including A. E. Henning, Miss Grace Whitely and Miss Emma Held. Each gave little helpful talks about the practical work of boys and girls. Miss Whitely deplored the idea that so few girls are taking home economics.

Speaking about militarism, Mr. Snyder said the American boy is too individualistic to take to military training, but he thought he should be in obedience.

As Mr. Snyder had to leave about 8 o'clock, the business meeting was held after the address.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved, and J. A. Cranston made the announcement of a Federation of the P-T. A's of Santa Ana to be held at the intermediate school February 20. A good program has been arranged.

METHODIST SOCIETIES

Ladies' Aid and Missionary

Have Well Attended Meet-
ing, Aid Elects

The all-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary societies of the First Methodist church was held yesterday with good attendance, the Aid society meeting at 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. Baker acted as chairman at the meeting and the usual business routine was followed. The president, Mrs. Bell Rogers, being in poor health, having resigned, a new president was elected in the person of Mrs. Baker. Several candidates were nominated.

A bounteous lunch was served at noon by Mmes. Julia Edwards, Frawley, Faust, Fox, Grigsby, Gunnelt, Hendrickson, J. E. Jayne, Knoll and Irvine.

The Missionary society met in the afternoon, Mrs. C. W. Burns being in the chair. The usual program was rendered and a social was planned for the near future at which a free will offering will be taken for the Methodist hospital in Los Angeles.

Teachers Combine Business, Pleasure

Superintendent C. A. Phillips of the First Christian Sunday school entertained his teachers, their assistants and a few friends at his home on North Ross street on Tuesday evening to discuss plans for the work in which they are interested.

Fragrant sweet peas, roses and Japanese lilies made the home beautiful and Rev. A. F. Roadhouse gave a short and inspiring talk.

Following the business session, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips divided the company into groups of four for a contest in quartet singing. "Bry" Williams' quartet should have won the prize but as he insisted upon singing the solo, the others refused to participate. A mixed (colored and white) quartet from the Bluegrass country captured the trophy, four all-day suckers, the singers being Mmes. F. M. Gist, W. A. Lowman, Misses Waive Kinney and Lizetta Phillips. An observation test also furnished amusement.

Little Miss Lizetta Phillips beautifully sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning" and also contributed instrumental selections and the good time ended with the service of chocolate, home-

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Phillips being assisted by her mother,
Mrs. Burson.

Committee to Meet

The Americanization Committee appointed last Thursday morning at the conference held at the city hall when Mrs. Gibson and Miss Richardson of Los Angeles were present, will meet at the same place on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Committee members who were present at the conference are especially urged to be present.

Graduating Class Exercises

The following is the program for the February graduating class of the intermediate school to be held at the school tomorrow at 8 p. m.:
Orchestra.
Graduation March.
Invocation—Rev. W. L. H. Benton.
Song, "O Mighty Land"—Class of February 8, 1918.

Violin solo—Emma Hardy.
Class song—Class.
Address—W. H. Benton.
Presentation of diplomas.
"Roving Song" (Alt.)—Class.
Orchestra.

The following are the members of the graduating class:
Theodore R. Alumbaugh, Frances Louise Battey, Ivan Baxter, Hazel Black, Jewel Blankenship, Coyte Briggs, Sylvester Aaron Burr, Enrique Ceniceros, James Monroe Champion, John Sargent Clarkson, Ruth Merrell Cope, Minor F. Cox, Miles Crookshank, Dorothy Dresser, Anna Dunn, Lynn E. Dunn, Spencer William Dunn, Lena C. Favro, Emma C. Hardy, Helen Gertrude Harper, Alton Harris, Glenna Jean Hill, L. Louise Hill, Gertrude J. Kilby, Ralph Liverspire, Helen Lutz, Neida U. Machander, Helen V. Mateer, Helen Meyer, Veima Miller, Maude Elaine McConnell, John M. McDadden, Joe A. Nicklas, Archie T. Perkins, Martha Pickering, Violet V. Post, Ruth Helen Preston, Clifford Quisel, Rheta M. Read, Newton Richards, Ernest Clyde Richards, Voris Robinson, Jean Nannie Ross, Harrie A. Schultz, Jess Simmons, Jack W. Snow, Calvin Newton Stark, Byron G. Stumpf, Kathleen Henrietta Tucker.

Helping Hand Meeting

The Helping Hand Society of the First Baptist church met yesterday with Mrs. G. P. Hill at 1102 Spurgeon street, with about sixty present. The usual business was transacted. Mrs. H. Bell, the president, was in the chair.

Reports from the committee which sent Christmas presents to the soldier boys were given.

After the routine business, a short program was given. Mrs. Spencer McKern and Miss Carol Van Cleave sang a duet. Mrs. Albert Hill rendered a solo and little Miss Phyllis Hill pleased with a reading.

The house was decorated with a Valentine motif of red and white hearts and smilax and delectable refreshments of heart-shaped cookies and tea were served by the committee.

Distinguished Guest at Tea

The regular monthly tea of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in G. A. R. hall. Mrs. Carrie E. By, patriotic instructor, will present an appropriate program. A. C. Shafer, assistant adjutant general of the Department of California and Nevada, G. A. R., will be present and all members of patriotic societies are invited to be present to meet the distinguished guests.

Personsals

John McCune, who is at the naval training station at San Diego, is here upon a brief visit to his father, W. H. McCune. He is a guest at the home of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lea Warren. He enlisted in the navy last November.

Rev. A. T. O'Rear arrived at home last night from Fresno, where he attended the Dry Federation convention.

D. A. Cannon of Iowa City, Iowa, is visiting his brother, J. L. Cannon. The visit was a surprise and the reunion is being greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clifford of Des Moines, Iowa, are here upon a visit to Mrs. Clifford's sister, Mrs. Chas. Schmiedberg, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gammon of Hastings, Neb., are guests at the home of Mrs. Alice Patton on North Broadway. They are old friends of Mrs. Patton.

THE WEATHER

Probably showers tonight and Fri-
day. Westerly winds.

THE TIDES

Friday, February 8, 1918
12:27 a. m., 2:31; 6:50 a. m., 6:41;
1:37 p. m., 0:7; 8:20 p. m., 4:4.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

ISSUED IN SANTA ANA
F. Wesley Otto, 55, San Fernando,
and Beth Kenne, 30, Glendale.
Judson Smith, 31, and Annette La-
more, 26, both of Los Angeles.

J. PLUVIUS EMPTIED

NEARLY QUARTER INCH

RAIN IN SANTA ANA

Nearly a quarter of an inch of rain last night moistened the ground of Orange county and did a great amount of good to surface crops. The clouds came in during the night rather unexpectedly and for a while the down-fall was steady and plentiful.

The surrounding country received amounts similar to the fall here. At the County Park the precipitation was 20 of an inch. At Orange .34 fell. The Irvine ranch reports .17 at the warehouse and .11 at the cattle ranch. West of town the rainfall was a little less than .01 of an inch at Westminster and .15 reported from the Holly Sugar Factory near Huntington Beach.

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NEW BOARD WILL ATTEMPT SOLVE PROBLEM OF CEMETERY

Will Appoint Active Committee to Devise Means For Perpetual Care

The new board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, following their organization last night, took off their coats and went to work on a problem that has agitated this community for some time, and which probably will require some time and lots of work to solve, if it is solved. The problem is that of the proper care of the old cemetery.

An active working committee will be appointed in the near future to go into the matter in its every phase and work out, if possible, some scheme that will result in keeping the old section in better condition than it has ever been kept in.

Among the plans discussed informally by the board members last night was that of raising a fund for perpetual care of the grounds. The members had no definite idea or plan as to the carrying out of such a project and it will be up to the committee to be appointed to work out the details. The Chamber last June received a communication from the G. A. R. Post asking that it take some action with reference to better care of the grounds.

There are hundreds of lots in the cemetery whose owners are unknown and there are many whose owners have lost interest in them, and to get the assistance of either class interested in the creation of a fund will be some difficult task.

The Chamber will also inaugurate a clean-up campaign at the cemetery before May Day, in which it hopes to have the hearty co-operation of the public in clearing the weeds from the streets, in particular, with some attention being given weed-ridden lots.

McFadden New President

The old board met and finished up its business, including the hearing and approval of the annual report made by Secretary Metzgar. When it adjourned the new board took up the reins of government and organized by electing John A. McFadden, president; J. E. Liebig, first vice-president; W. B. Tedford, second vice-president; D. N. Kelly, treasurer; J. C. Metzgar, secretary; Walter Eden, attorney. Other members of the board are C. F. Smith, R. G. Tuthill, P. L. Andrews and R. L.

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Bisby, Smith, Tuthill and Tedford are new men, succeeding T. A. Winkler, Dr. Wehrly and Geo. Shattuck. Shattuck was president. The annual report, which shows the activities of the Chamber during 1917, is printed in another section of today's issue of the Register.

The re-election of Metzgar as secretary meets with the hearty approval of every member of the organization. He has proved his efficiency and that he is the right man in the right place. He is entering upon his eighth year as secretary. The position requires some one of the temperament of the congenial secretary, and his executive ability is one of the big factors entering into the successful work of the Chamber in recent years.

McFadden is recognized as a good leader and in various committee connections has proved a capable man for organization work. He has been active in the Liberty Loan campaigns, and is now county chairman of the Thrift Stamp campaign committee.

The retiring president, Geo. B. Shattuck, is highly complimented for the service he has rendered the Chamber. A vote of thanks was accorded him by the old board.

War Gardens

The war garden contest so successfully conducted by the Chamber last year will be a feature this year. E. A. White was appointed chairman of the war garden committee, with power to select his own committee. The contest may be confined to the growing of beans, peanuts and potatoes. The inclusion of tomatoes and chilis may be decided on.

Armory Rent

Dr. Wehrly brought up the matter of the Chamber of Commerce assisting the Red Cross with funds to pay for rent of the armory. A resolution was passed endorsing a plan to have the state continue its lease on the armory for use of the Red Cross as long as the war lasts. The secretary will telegraph Governor Stephens and Adjutant Borree concerning the matter. Red Cross officers, city trustees and supervisors will be asked to join with the Chamber in signing the request to the state officials.

New Member

Everett A. White, local life insurance agent, was voted into membership.

BURGLAR ROBS DESK IN ROOM WITH SLEEPERS

Burglary at J. B. Joplin Home Is Boldest In Series of Recent Robberies

It has developed that the boldest of the recent burglaries in Santa Ana was that at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Joplin, 626 Riverline, Tuesday night about 3 a. m.

The burglar entered the house and went into the bedroom where Mr. and Mrs. Joplin were asleep and ransacked a desk that stood almost at arm's length from the bed.

It was noon yesterday before it was discovered that the house had really been burglarized. When Mrs. Joplin, who is deputy county treasurer, started to leave for the courthouse she could not find her handbag, containing her keys. Tuesday evening she had removed the money in the handbag, and the money was not missing from a bureau drawer.

Keys Are Found
Puzzled, Mrs. Joplin went to the courthouse. About noon someone found some notebooks belonging to Joplin and Mrs. Joplin's keys thrown among some geraniums in the back yard. The purse was not found and has not been found. The papers were taken with a small notebook wallet from the desk in the bedroom. The burglar entered through the rear door, passed through the bedroom and around the foot of the bed to the desk. A certificate of stock in the Santa Ana Firemen's Association belonging to Joplin has not been found.

Miss Relpecca Joplin states that she was awakened about 3 o'clock yesterday morning by hearing someone walk from the Joplin back yard into the yard of the home of Charles W. Woughby, south of the Joplin home, and she heard the click of a gate and thought she heard the noise of a key being fitted into a lock, then she heard the man walk away. Frightened, the girl went into bed with her grandmother, and while the two were awake they heard the clock strike 3. At the time and the next morning it was thought that the girl had become frightened and that she had not really heard what she thought she had heard.

Badge and Purse

Two of the purses and a deputy sheriff's badge, stolen from Miss Myrtle Meyer's home Tuesday evening as Miss Meyer and Misses Opal and Binda Davis and Alice Carlson were playing rook in a front room, have been recovered. R. O. Warren, father of Mrs. E. S. Morrow, of 418 South Sycamore street, found Miss Opal Davis' purse and her deputy sheriff's badge among some ferns in the front yard. Evidently the burglar crossed from the rear yard of Miss Meyer's home on to Sycamore street, took out the money and threw away the purse.

This morning Miss Meyer's purse was found. Miss Carlson's purse and keys that belonged to Miss Meyer and Miss Carlson have not yet been found.

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2296 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

MEAT RATIONING IN SIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Meat rationing for hotels, restaurants and dining cars is in sight. This information was received today at offices of the federal food board. The six-ounce steak is expected soon to be a reality.

ATTACKS PUT IN ANONYMOUS LETTERS DO NOT COUNT

Local Exemption Board Will Not Consider Epistles Received Unsigned

Anonymous letters have little weight with the local exemption board. Numerous communications of this nature have been received from time to time at headquarters here, and they have regularly been consigned to the waste basket. Another was received today, one that fairly teemed with heated criticism of everybody and everything.

C. J. Overshiner, chief clerk of the local board, states that the officials are ready to take under advisement and consideration any communication which comes to them properly signed, but that the person who fails to come out in a straightforward manner and declare his identity, will be given absolutely no consideration.

The quota of District No. 1 is gradually reaching its full strength. New names are being received of men from this district who have enlisted in some branch of government service. The latest recruits, official notice of the enlistment of whom have been received here, are as follows:

Enlistments Reported

William L. Snyder, John V. Watts, and Darrell Beals, in the navy; Sullivan J. Sharpe and Leroy Homer Robinson, in aviation.

The local board has received word of the examination of two men from this district in other places. Charles R. Ashman, who was transferred to Hanford, has passed the physical examination there and has been placed in Class A1. Manzo Victorino, transferred to San Diego, also is reported as physically fit and put into Class A1.

A new ruling just received by the local board makes it possible for all transfer cases to be examined for physical qualifications here instead of before the appeal board.

Claims for exemption of the following men have been denied and they have been placed in Class 1:

Paul R. Bay, John W. Lamb, William B. Coe, Floyd T. Hadley, Bernardo M. Yorba, Wilhelm Strech, Ralph J. Walker, Lewis G. Gunther, Ray E. Catherman, George E. McClellan, Eddie G. Squires, Fred C. Meyer, Carlos Dominguez.

Claims for exemption of the following have been allowed:

Class 2—Stephen A. Wilson, Carl H. Hankey, John H. Wilson.
Class 3—George C. Mann, Frank Reyes, Pablo Dominguez.
Class 4—Darwin W. Tate, Ramon T. Peralto, Henry G. Clardy.

LIST OF MEN WHO HAVE NOT APPEARED MADE

FULLERTON, Feb. 7.—The following list of men have failed to file questionnaires with the local exemption board within the required time, and the names have been sent to Sheriff Jackson with a request that he round up the men:

Frederico Lomos, Los Alamitos.
August McGilvray, Westminster.
Andres Alvares, Huntington Beach.
Eucarinacho Duarte, Talbert.
San Antonio Rander, Westminster.

Jesus Martinez, Los Alamitos.
Basilia Villacenor, Los Alamitos.
Louis Ortiz, Westminster.

Amado Lopez, Los Alamitos.
Josef Rambout, Los Alamitos.
Dunisie Acosta, Westminster.

Sylvester Balza, Los Alamitos.
Isami Kumamoto, Santa Ana.
Frank E. Van Patton, Anaheim.

Eulogio Mendia, Brea.
Frederico Martinez, Huntington Beach.

Jose Castro, Los Alamitos.
Joseph E. Fargon, Fullerton.
Petrillo Hernandez, Los Alamitos.

Frederico Gonzales, Los Alamitos.
Cosme Martinez, Los Alamitos.
Jose Lopez, Huntington Beach.

Chlo Hondo, Talbert.
Pedro Vaca, Westminster.
Vacio Mesa, Los Alamitos.

Lynn C. Merrill, Los Alamitos.
Pablo Cortez, Los Alamitos.
Clarence D. Brokaw, Los Alamitos.

John A. Gage, Los Alamitos.
Benselado Espinosa, Los Alamitos.
Guadalupe Acosta, Los Alamitos.

Jose Reyes, Los Alamitos.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT

MADE MISTAKE OF JOCKEYING WITH A MOTORCYCLE COP

M. N. Jay is charged with refusing to allow a machine to pass when it signalled for that right. The complainant is Motorcycle Officer Carr, who was driving a machine upon an order to get a witness for the Keyes trial. Carr says that he came up behind Jay, and blew his horn as a signal of his intention to go by. Carr says Jay speeded up, and would reach out and signal Carr to come ahead just as another machine would approach. Finally Carr got by, when he stopped and arrested Jay.

For Carelessness
Motorcycle Officer Ballard has sworn to a complaint charging W. M. Wheeler with careless driving at the principal corner at Garden Grove.

CARD OF THANKS

—We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of Mrs. Florence E. Holt, also for the beautiful floral offerings. (Signed) JOHN HOLT, MR. AND MRS. CHARLEY D. BROWN, MR. AND MRS. HARVEY K. HOLT.

WOMAN WANTS TO SERVE ORANGE AS CLERK OF CITY

Miss Helen Miller and T. L. Smith Have Announced Their Aspirations

Orange News: City Clerk Fleetwood Bell today announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election at the city elections, April 8. The pressing demands of private interests caused his decision to withdraw from public office when his term expires. Appointed at the death of C. W. Hallman, former clerk, Mr. Bell has given a most efficient administration.

The retirement of Mr. Bell from the field will be the signal for announcing several other candidates for the clerkship. Among these is one woman, Miss Helen L. Miller.

The candidacy of Miss Miller will be universally popular with the business interests of the city. She is a thorough business woman to her fingertips and through her experience as secretary of the M. and M. Association and more recently as assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce is closely in touch with the business men and thoroughly alive to their needs. To which statement might be added the assertion that she enjoys their utmost confidence. Miss Miller has been in business here for eight years.

T. L. Smith, who has been connected with the Plaza Market for a number of years, is another candidate for city clerk. Mr. Smith is by no means a stranger to such responsibilities as the position would entail, having served two terms as recorder of Henry county, Iowa, some years ago. He is a man of excellent character, very highly respected by his numerous friends.

INVESTIGATING FATTY ARBUCKLE PROPOSITION

Committee Goes to Long Beach But Is Not Yet Ready to Report

Four members of the Manufacturing and Industries committee of the Chamber of Commerce went to Long Beach yesterday to inspect the Balboa Studios, where Roscoe Arbuckle and his company are at present making pictures. Those who went were Chairman Nicky and Messrs. Kendall, Black and Baumgartner, and they were driven over by L. A. Schlesinger in his machine.

Speaking of the visit, Chairman Nicky said that the committee was very favorably impressed with the desirability of securing the Arbuckle company as a business enterprise for Santa Ana.

"We found," said Mr. Nicky, "that the industry is a big one—in fact the film industry is now the fifth largest industry in the United States—and that the Arbuckle company and its affiliated companies would probably develop into one of the largest units of the industry in the country."

"The business is thoroughly organized and systematized, and its activities are of such a diversified character as to reach into almost every channel of trade in the community."

"Mr. Arbuckle and his manager say that they are not voluntarily in the market for a location, or financial assistance from any source whatever. They are renting facilities from the Balboa Films Company, and those facilities are ample and satisfactory. But, of course, if sufficient inducements are offered them, where the conditions are favorable, they would be glad to have a studio of their own."

"As a business proposition, as between operating their own studio and renting, they say it would not pay them to make the investment that would be required for a site and studio; but that they would be glad to move to Santa Ana and make it their permanent home, and bring their affiliated companies here, if a site and studio were provided by this community."

The committee is not yet ready to make its report to the Industrial Fund, and would give out no more definite information than the foregoing statement.

Speaking of their visit to Long Beach, Mr. Baumgartner said that he found the inspection of the studios intensely interesting. "One thing that impressed me," said Mr. Baumgartner, "was what Mr. Anger said about an important factor in the moving picture business being illusion. Mr. Anger said that the public was not admitted to the Balboa Studios, and that as few permits were issued as possible, the privilege of entering the studio being confined almost exclusively to those having business requiring their entrance. Mr. Anger explained that if many people were permitted to see pictures made such people would be scattered among the audiences at the moving picture houses and would be telling what this actor did and how this scene was made, and those to whom they made the explanations would repeat them, and soon a large part of the community would lose interest in the pictures, because they would be striped of much of their charm, which consists largely in the wonder as to how the effect is produced, and the illusions that are effected through the highest development of the art of filming."

"This psychology of the movie, as

it may be termed, was strikingly noticeable in the picture produced at the West End last night—"The Seven Swans." In one scene a lot of fairies rose out of the depths of a flowing stream of water, and danced forward toward the Princess on the surface of the water. The illusion was absolutely perfect, and of course this delightful illusion would have been dispelled if one had known just how it was produced. Similarly, all through the fairy tale of the "Seven Swans," there were beautiful and delightful illusions that a too intimate knowledge of the means of production would have rendered innocuous."

\$25 REWARD FOR MAN WHO CAN BLANKET JOCKO

Monkey Phillips Writes About Refuses to Conform to Civilized Custom

"When 'Jocko' left the Garden of Eden he refused to abide by the mandates of civilization as they pertain to clothes, and he still refuses to conform to the habits of civilized beings," declared A. E. Commerford, of the firm of Commerford and Harris, district managers for the lands of the Harbor Industrial City tract. The firm has its headquarters in the Rossmore Hotel building and is the firm which owns the monkey referred to in a communication by L. M. Phillips to the Board of Supervisors. Reference to the letter was made in the Register last evening.

"We would like to state to Mr. Phillips," continued Commerford, "that we are very much in favor of the S. P. C. A. and that we will gladly donate \$25 to that society if Mr. Phillips will himself or send us anyone that will come to our office any evening at 5 o'clock and put a blanket on Jocko and keep it on. In addition to this offer we will give him \$1 each evening that he performs the same service, the party attempting to put the blanket on assuming his own risk."

"Mr. Whidden came to our office the morning after the receipt of the letter and I believe we convinced him that the monkey was not suffering from cold."

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AUTO VICTIM UNCONSCIOUS
PASADENA, Feb. 7.—William Lind, 1075 North Los Robles avenue, who was injured in an automobile accident while endeavoring to avoid running over a dog, is still unconscious at the Pasadena hospital and is in a critical condition. He is suffering from concussion of the brain and possible internal injuries. Lind is seventeen years old and the son of W. E. Lind, a well-known Pasadena merchant.



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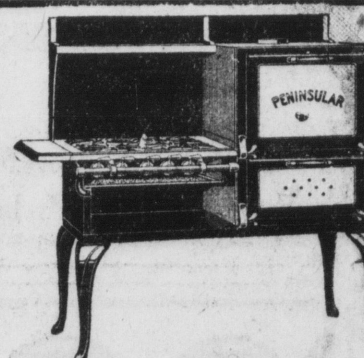
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ANNUAL REPORT OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BY SECRETARY

ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE RECAPITULATED

Twenty-ninth Year of Community Building Is Record of Booster Body

J. C. Metzgar, secretary of the Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce, last night submitted the following report to the old board of directors before it adjourned sine die:

As Secretary of the Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce it is most gratifying to submit the following report concerning the activities of the body for its twenty-ninth year of community building. The Chamber as a Public Service Bureau as well as a publicity medium continues a policy of diversified work in an earnest effort to serve the best interests of Santa Ana and Orange County. Space in an annual report does not permit of more than a brief reference to the numerous activities of the officers, directors and committees for the period covered by this review.

The achievements accomplished do not by any means tell of the time and effort given unsparsingly by these public spirited citizens who serve their community. Innumerable propositions of various kinds and without merit have been given all the consideration required, but for many excellent reasons failed to materialize. The accomplishments of the organization were not particularly spectacular in character, but nevertheless resulted in community benefits of immense value.

It must also be remembered that patriotic measures for the betterment of our beloved country received all possible aid from the members whenever opportunity offered. The past year has presented unprecedented conditions which have been met with a spirit of loyalty and patriotism worthy of the great cause for which we have embarked in the most terrible war of history. The Chamber has actively advocated proper preparedness and national support of our Government in this most critical period. The members have responded eagerly to all calls upon their time, ability and funds.

The Wednesday luncheons furnished a forum at which many questions relating to these subjects were presented and from which a large amount of good was derived and helpful publicity ensued.

It is pleasing to report that at the end of the fiscal year the finances of the Chamber were in a sound and healthy condition. A careful, economical policy is always in force and the funds available guarded zealously.

Officers and Directors
The 1917 official faculty were duly elected and served during the year under review—Geo. B. Shattuck, president; John A. McFadden, first vice-president; J. E. Liebke, second vice-president; D. N. Kelly, treasurer;

J. C. METZGAR, the efficient secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who enters upon his eighth year of service.



Walter Eden, attorney; R. L. Bisby and Theo. A. Winbigler, delegates to the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Orange County; F. L. Andrews, Dr. John Wehrly and J. C. Metzgar, secretary. Thirteen permanent standing committees and many special committees were active as needed and rendered unselfish, useful service to the organization.

Free Employment Bureau

One hundred and twenty-five applications for work were received during the last six months of the year, and employment was found for about two-thirds of them.

Membership

The size and representative character of the membership is a source of pride to the city. The organization shows a net gain of ten members for the year. This is a very small increase but activities in other branches of the work precluded any membership campaign. The records show that fifty-two new members were admitted, resignations numbered fifteen, removals eleven, while eight went out of business and dropped their membership, one member was lost by death and seven were suspended for non-payment of dues.

In the United States Service

The Chamber enjoys the distinction of having eighteen of its young members in the service of the Government as fighting men. This is an excellent showing, considering the average age of the membership. These men are carried on the rolls as Honorary Members in appreciation of their loyalty to our country in its time of need.

Detailed Activities

An attempt to locate a large cotton mill in or near Santa Ana required a vast amount of work on the part of

many members. That it did not develop into a local industry was no fault of those who gave their best effort to the proposition.

The feasibility of a union depot was investigated.

An effort was made to locate a Military School on lands adjoining Newport bay.

A committee was appointed to secure a survey of local industries and their payrolls.

Appointed a committee to co-operate with the City Trustees and Merchants & Manufacturers' Association in the establishment of an Industrial District.

A winning baseball game with the Chicago Cubs was a success and brought Santa Ana what was probably the largest crowd for any like occasion in the history of the city.

A substantial sum of money was raised for Company L mess fund and deposited in a local bank subject to the order of the officers.

A Clean-up Campaign was successfully conducted and a cleaner and more sanitary Santa Ana resulted.

A Wm. J. Bryan Luncheon at which the great Commoner appeared was one of the noteworthy events of the year.

A swat-the-fly movement was referred to the new Health and Sanitation Committee.

The 1918 California Insurance Association's Convention was secured.

An Orange County reception to drafted men was staged in Birch Park September 4, and attracted a very large crowd.

A Prize War Garden Contest was inaugurated and was a success in every particular.

Quiet Sign for Hospital

Secured a "quiet sign" near the Santa Ana hospital by courtesy of the Auto Club of Southern California.

Co-operated with the "National Defenders" Yuletide Committee of Southern California and assisted in raising funds for the purpose of sending a Christmas box to each Southern California man in the United States Service.

Co-operated with the Santa Ana Musical Association in a Christmas Musical Festival. The occasion was a huge success and "Constantino," the famous tenor, sang at his first appearance in Santa Ana.

Requested the Government Shipping Board not to take the Morgan line of steamships from public service unless a tremendous emergency should arise.

Requested Adjutant General Borree to issue a permit to our Home Guards to drill and parade with arms in order that our homes, crops, etc., would be protected in the event of an unexpected emergency arising.

Endorsed an Orange County Bond issue for the improvement of Newport Harbor.

Resolutions were adopted requesting the Government to build freight cars to overcome the present shortage so as to relieve freight congestion. Recommended the immediate reconstruction of the Hannah street bridge over Santiago Creek.

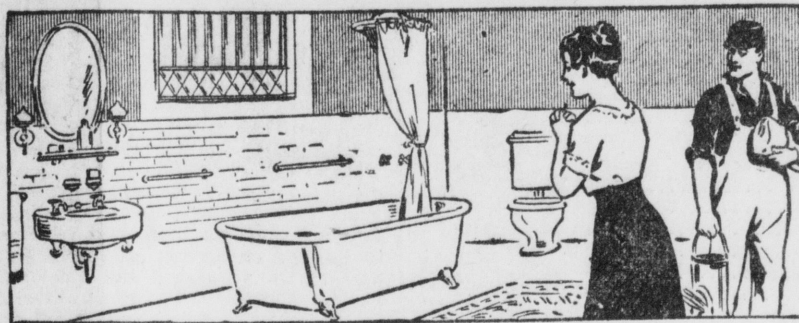
Recommended the importation of sufficient Chinese laborers to harvest the crops, they to be returned to China when need for their services ceased and under strict Government regulations.

Recommended that Walnut street be widened between Parton and Flower streets to conform with the width of the street fronting the high school. Recommended the California Crater Company and the proposed Tourist Hotel to the Industrial Fund.

Conducted a hotel name contest in connection with the new hotel project and awarded prizes.

Carter Address

Secured Hon. John P. Carter for an address on War Revenue Taxes in order to enlighten citizens as to the



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requirements of the income laws. Arranged to have printed an adequate supply of city maps which are in constant demand.

Applied for appointment as authorized agent of the Treasury Department for the purpose of selling War-Savings Stamps.

A complimentary dinner meeting was held September 12 to which were invited representatives of the membership of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Orange County for the purpose of considering the advisability of concerted action in protesting the increased rates and establishment of the present free toll area of the Telephone Companies who propose merging. This meeting resulted in a proper presentation of the matter before the State Railroad Commission which has as yet not handed down its decision. A committee was also appointed to investigate the proposed Gas Rate increase, the application being later withdrawn.

A United States Service Flag was purchased showing eighteen of our members had joined Uncle Sam's fighting forces.

As this report is being compiled efforts are being made to secure a Government Aviation School, and committees are investigating the feasibility of locating the Roscoe Arbuckle Film Company in or near Santa Ana.

The United States Chamber of Commerce of America submitted four recommendations for the deliberation and ballot of the Board of Directors. These were referred to the Legislative Committee for investigation and recommendation.

Phone for Fairview Farms

By request of those most interested in the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company was petitioned to connect the Fairview Farms Section through Santa Ana Central Office.

Resolutions were adopted recommending universal observance of the National Anthems and patriotic songs when played in public.

A handsome case was installed in the assembly room for the safe keeping

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ing of the numerous trophy cups and medals won at World's Fairs, Land Shows, etc., by Orange County products exhibited under the direction of D. W. McDannald and A. S. Bradford, whose work is deserving of great credit and has secured excellent advertising results.

Numerous descriptive articles of Santa Ana and Orange County were supplied leading publications and have accomplished much good in the way of directing attention to the advantages of this section.

The success of the Industrial Fund created in December of 1916 is established. The first venture of the fund, the Mission Woolen Manufacturing Company, disburses a substantial and increasing payroll. The California Crater Company is another established and growing concern of considerable magnitude which was given some slight assistance in the way of the temporary use of a building. The fund was also largely instrumental in the successful financing of the proposed tourist hotel now to be erected on North Broadway and if augmented from time to time will prove an invaluable asset to the commercial development of Santa Ana.

Industrial Propositions

A great many propositions mostly of an industrial character have come before the Directors and Committees that have not been approved. This is in accordance with the policy to guard well the industrial fund and use it only for the best interests of the subscribers. Lack of time and space precludes listing such proposals as were not approved, but the Orange County investing public should be mindful of the policy of the Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce to investigate upon request and free of cost any and all promotion and stock selling schemes, many of which are promoted with sole idea in view of fleecing the unwary investor. The community will profit immensely by taking advantage of this offer. The investigation will be made without fear or prejudice and will keep on file the results for the inspection of those who are interested. Again your attention is directed to this service and all requests for reports will be considered confidential. Citizens in general should co-operate to rid the community of financial parasites who menace the incomes of many who lack the means of a proper investigation.

We extend to those liberal automobile owners who place their cars at the disposal of the Chamber our earnest thanks.

Likewise to those loyal citizens who contribute products and flowers for the exhibit. It is such co-operation that makes possible a work that induces many to locate here. The organization appreciates to the fullest this spirit of loyalty.

The press of the city have continuing their policy of generously supporting the Chamber and are of inestimable value to the work of community upbuilding. The newspapers of Santa Ana would be a credit to a much larger city, and are an excellent advertising medium. We recommend that copies be frequently mailed to inhabitants of less favored communities. A good newspaper is a community builder and advantage should be taken of this means of spreading the gospel of Orange County.

Work of Coming Year

In conclusion attention is directed to the coming year. It promises to be one of unusual opportunity for service to our fellow men. Unprecedented demands will be made upon us, demands which must be met by each and all according to our ability and means, demands from our country for assistance in man power, money power, time and energy. War is the present business of our country, a war that has assumed unthinkable propor-

tions and a war that must be won. In addition many other duties confront us. The regular work of the Chamber covers a broad field of activity, requiring co-operative effort that must not slacken. Visualize if you will the advantage of living in this favored place. Visualize, please, a Santa Ana of the future. The picture will be just what its citizens make it. The opportunity is here and alert co-operative, continuous effort will make of Santa Ana a city in truth and in fact, a city many times its present size. If ever there was a time when genuine co-operation through such an organization is required, it is under the present unprecedented business conditions that have resulted from the war. The organization is the machinery for community effort and public service. It fosters progress and constructive measures and is ready at all times for work of community betterment.

Submitted with the approval of the Board of Directors.
J. C. METZGAR, Secretary.

SURGEON TO DO WAR WORK

SAWTELLE, Feb. 7.—Dr. George A. Fielding, formerly a surgeon in the Soldiers' Home and the last ten years a practicing physician in Sawtelle and Santa Monica, will leave for war service Friday. He is assigned to Ft. Bowie, Texas, with the rank of captain. He leaves here a wife and three children.

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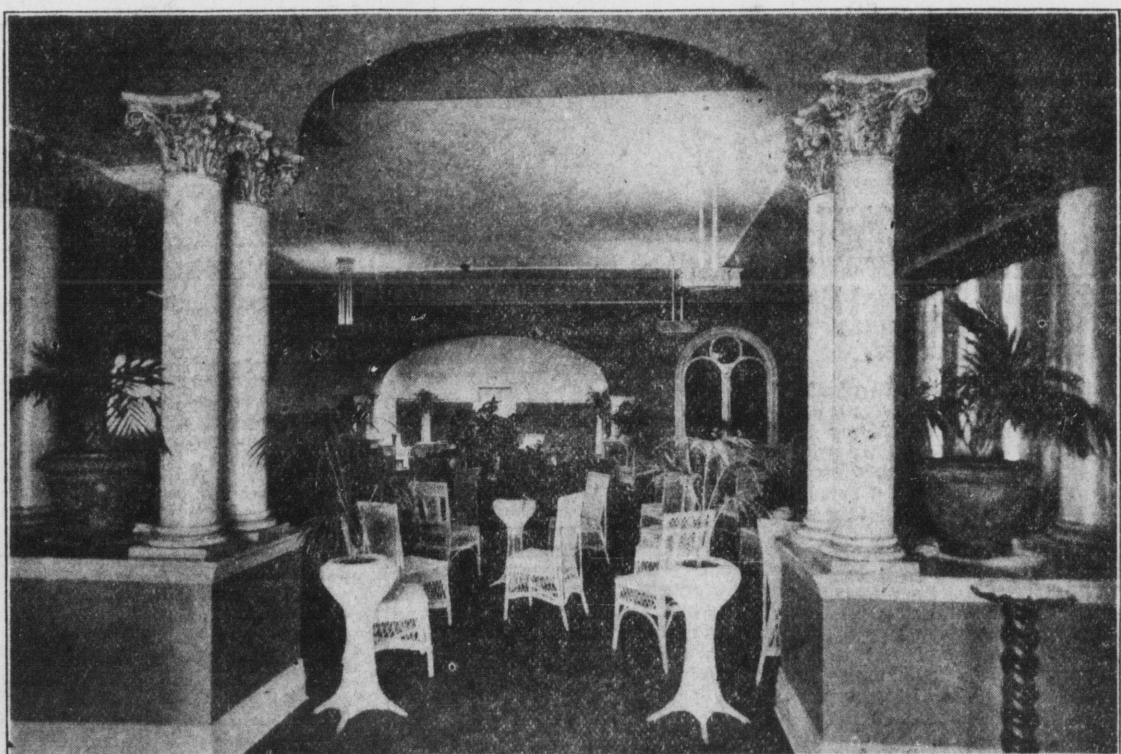
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PUMPS DEVELOP INCREASE IN SUPPLY FOR SUMMER

Hundred Inches More Anticipated Than Was Available Last Season

That the Santa Ana Valley Irrigation Company paid nearly as much in 1917 for power for its pumping plants as it disbursed in wages, as disclosed by the annual report of the secretary prepared for submission to the stockholders at the annual meeting scheduled for Tuesday. A quorum was not present and the old directors held over.

The company now has five pumping plants for use this summer in increasing the supply of irrigation water. Two new pumps, one of which was operated for a short time last summer, are expected to develop 300 inches of water, making it possible to increase the total from the pumping plants about 1000 inches. Last summer three pumps developed from 900 to 1000 miner's inches. The water level, however, has been reduced in these wells to such an extent that they will not produce as much as they did last summer, offsetting about 200 inches of the supply available from new wells. The power cost for the year was \$12,786.55, while the expenditure for labor was \$13,945.55.

The secretary's financial report is given in table form on this page. The following are other reports prepared in conjunction with it:

Superintendent's Annual Report

Orange, Cal., Dec. 27, 1917.

To the Honorable Board of Directors of the S. A. V. I. Company.

Gentlemen: Herewith is presented a report of the work done during the past year:

Have made 25,328 feet of cement pipe in sizes 8, 10, 12, 16, 18, 24 and 42-inch and have washed approximately 17,962 feet.

Have laid 9722 feet of 12-inch, 7306 feet of 16-inch, 2740 feet of 18-inch, 1222 feet of 24-inch and 1000 feet of 42-inch pipe, making a total of 16,050 feet.

Have constructed 25 delivery ditches, replaced 12 old ones, put in 37 iron back-ups and 15 iron shut-offs; raised 19 petition ditches, also raised 19 others to prevent overflow and create more pressure on the pipe lines.

Have hauled 2179 yards of material for cement work on main canal and 192 yards at head of ditches A and B, for a drop box.

There have been three extensions of ditches and one 12-inch pipe line accepted by the company in the past year.

On upper portion of main canal have built up cement ditch on lower dirt bank where needed.

At Plant No. 6, have constructed a galvanized pump house 10 x 40 feet. The division gate was put in in April.

Pump No. 1 was started on April 1 and stopped on October 13; No. 3 was started on April 4 and was stopped on September 27; No. 4 was started on April 2 and stopped on September 28; No. 5 was started on July 14 and was stopped on September 26. The booster and reclaiming pumps were started on April 22 and May 4 respectively and were stopped on September 28.

Have repaired ditches and bridges where necessary.

The usual cleaning of ditches has been done and other details of the work have been attended to.

Respectfully submitted,
W. A. RALPH, Supt.

Pumping Plants
We have had bored two wells, one on the True ranch and one about a fourth of a mile above pump No. 1. In both wells we have installed Lane

SECRETARY'S ANNUAL REPORT

Orange, Cal., Jan. 28, 1918.
Gentlemen:—The receipts and disbursements of the company for the year ending December 27, 1917, are as follows:

RECEIPTS		
Cash on hand Dec. 28, 1916		\$ 5,996.21
Expense Account		
Water Sales	\$54,378.11	
Stock Transfers	133.00	
Rent	1,224.50	
Sundries	36.41	
Santa Ana River Development Co.	713.88	
Fields Ranch	1,008.32	
River Protection Work	1,230.86	
Interest	607.66	
		\$59,332.74

Construction Account		
Assessments	\$34,376.13	
Pipe Lines, Gates, etc.	4,562.10	
Sundries	19.64	
New Stock	24.48	
Bills Payable	2,000.00	
Motor	\$50.00	
		\$42,832.35
		\$108,161.30

DISBURSEMENTS		
Expense Account		
Refund on Water Account	\$ 338.73	
Superintendent, Pay-roll	8,520.44	
Wages	13,045.55	
Directors	746.45	
Sundries	3,311.05	
Interest	2,730.00	
Lumber	331.02	
Blacksmithing and Hardware	1,655.18	
Power	12,786.55	
Stamps and Envelopes	359.94	
Taxes	594.97	
River Protection	6,597.26	
Accident Insurance	645.63	
Santa Ana River Development Co.	1,678.00	
		\$53,313.77

Construction Account		
Superintendent, Pay-roll	\$14,796.20	
Blacksmithing and Hardware	1,263.09	
Cement	3,419.80	
Water Development	5,395.63	
Bills Payable	8,000.00	
Sundries	2,342.47	
Lumber	376.07	
		\$35,593.26

Cash with Secretary	177.62	
First National Bank of Orange, Exp. Acct.	11,846.39	
First National Bank of Orange, Const. Acct.	7,230.26	
		\$19,254.27
		\$108,161.30

TRIAL BALANCE, December 27, 1917		
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Real Estate	\$ 10,313.05	
Bills Receivable	95,255.38	
Stock Cancelled	18,796.11	
Loss and Gain	86,923.49	
Capital Stock	55,908.05	
Water Development	635,368.55	
Premium	53,500.00	
Bills Payable	22,587.85	
Santa Ana River Development Co.	11,846.39	
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Construction Acct.	177.62	
Cash with Secretary	\$797,249.25	\$797,249.25

O. E. MANSUR, Secretary.

& Bowler pumps. The well on the True ranch developed about 200 inches and the upper one about 100 inches, although neither pump was run long enough to thoroughly develop same. The other pumping plants all pumped as much water as the previous season and all have been overhauled and are in readiness to start pumping as soon as needed.

Construction
During the year we have constructed 15,050 feet of pipe line at places in the valley where most needed and 1000 feet of 42-inch pipe from main canal to river as a sluiceway to sluice sand out of canal. We have hauled rock and gravel to cement about one mile of the main canal at places where it is apparent that we lose water by seepage.

Finances
Our indebtedness on December 27, 1917, was \$53,500, which is a reduction of \$5,000 over the previous year.

Development Company's Report
Anaheim, Cal., Jan. 22, 1918.

To the Board of Directors of the Santa Ana River Development Company.

Gentlemen: We have examined the accounts of your company for the year 1917 and submit herewith the following report:

Receipts		
Rentals, on this year leases	\$ 2,066.00	
On old accounts	640.00	
Clay	2,131.50	
Deposit on clay, not used to date	50.00	
Anaheim Union Water Co.	5,427.99	
S. A. V. I. Co.	5,427.99	
		\$15,743.48

Disbursements		
Interest	\$ 7,509.43	
Attorney's fees	1,958.10	
Taxes	1,486.02	
Repairs	1,053.81	
Water measurement	911.25	
Expense	719.30	
Water conservation	600.00	
Salaries	144.00	
Overdraft from last year	216.98	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1918.	1,144.59	
		\$15,743.48

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR STALEY,
M. NEBELUNG.

Loss of Attorney
During the last year the company has suffered a great loss in the unfortunate death of our attorney, Mr. E. E. Keech. His long connection with us made him particularly valuable as our legal adviser, and in view of his thorough knowledge of our interests and his well known integrity and loyalty made it difficult to fill the vacancy and we take this opportunity of expressing our personal appreciation of his services which we know expresses also the universal feelings of our stockholders.

A. G. FINLEY,
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HARRY W. LEWIS,
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W. A. GREENLEAF,
Directors.

Board of Audit Report
Your Board of Audit, elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders, Feb. 6, 1917, respectfully beg to submit this, its annual report.

It was deemed advisable by your board to employ the services of an

expert accountant and accordingly we secured the services of Mr. R. L. Freeman, who put in fifteen days in checking over from the original entries into the current ledger. Herewith follows his separate report:

Orange, Cal., Jan. 25, 1918.
To the Board of Audit of the Santa Ana Valley Irrigation Company.

Gentlemen: At your request I have audited the books of your company and report as follows:

I have checked the receipts and disbursements as shown upon the cash book of the secretary and the balance agrees with bank balance.

I have checked the trial balance of the secretary and find it is made up from the balances from the various ledger accounts, showing the ledger to be on a perfect balance.

I therefore report the books of the secretary correct.

I have checked the Zaneros' accounts and except a few clerical errors, which have been corrected, I find them correct.

I am
Yours respectfully,
R. L. FREEMAN,
Accountant.

This report has our endorsement and in addition would offer the following recommendation: The superintendent's pay roll as well as the Zaneros' daily report sheets be checked over and verified by the committee of finance of the Board of Directors.

F. A. BLAKE,
J. J. ZIELIAN,
W. W. PERRY.

LIQUOR EVIDENCE BLOWS UP
VALISIA, Feb. 7.—Superior Judge Allen's court was started when a bottle of evidence in a bootlegging case exploded with a loud report. The court clerk accidentally dropped a bottle of beer, which "blew up," shooting the cork to the ceiling and squirting the foaming beverage over the court and officials.

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MURDEROUS BREED IS PRUSSIAN SPY SAYS RAHM

Former Resident of Oregon Writes on Conditions in Sweden

D. I. Stone, who is here from Hood River, Oregon, passing the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Robert Gambell, has brought the Register a copy of a letter published in the Hood River Glacier, written by Axel Rahm, a former resident of that city. Rahm is a native of Sweden and came to America and located in Oregon twenty-five years ago. About four years ago he sold his property there and returned to Sweden on account of his father's death. He purchased the old home place. The letter is full of interesting points as to conditions in Sweden as a result of the war. The observations are those of a true American and the story is so well told that the Register gives space to its reproduction in full, as follows:

"And what will Christmas bring us? Shall the Almighty in His infinite wisdom have decided that the powers of hell have played their bloody game long enough, or shall the 'Imperial' scourge of the world be allowed to continue his satanic work?"

"For my part, I can see no glimpse of approaching peace, not a ray of hope that would indicate an early cessation of carnage and rapine. Everything goes on as merrily as ever. Only a few days ago some Prussian raiders destroyed the Scandinavian cargo boats in the North Sea in less than an hour's time. The sailors tried to get out of the lifeboats, but most of them were killed in the attempt, the Teutonic devils even firing volleys at the defenseless men as they endeavored to row away from their sinking ships.

"What did I write in the Glacier the first year of the war? I have somehow lost those copies of the paper in the round they made among interested friends, but I remember one thing very distinctly. I warned the United States against the Prussian spies. We who have the misfortune to live here in the northern countries during these times 'that try men's souls,' know full well the sneaking devils' ways with their bombs and dynamite and death dealing germs. All the Scandinavian countries are full of that murderous breed, the Prussian spy. A few have been caught red-handed and imprisoned; others chased out of the country. But alas, the many still remain under the mask of one character or another.

"Were not the Scandinavian countries as weak as they are, war against the piratical Teutons would have been declared long ago. But what does a small nation amount to in this world fight? When a big nation turns loose his dogs of war against a weak one, the latter is crushed as easily as an egg under a steam roller. Where is Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro and Rumania? Ruined—without having done much toward the cause of the western powers. On the contrary they constitute a weakness to the allied side. Especially is that the case with Rumania, where the central powers have secured considerable quantities of food, etc.

"There are great difficulties and in many instances considerable hardships existing in the whole of Scandinavia. Food of all descriptions is getting scarce and the price high, although the governments are doing their best to regulate the latter. Wheat and rye flour cost something more than five cents a pound (the government pays the difference in the import price and the selling price) and no person gets more than seven ounces a day. Bacon costs 42 cents; a pound; smoked ham, 50 cents; good beef, 25 and 30 cents; butter 57 cents; eggs 70 cents per dozen; milk 8½ cents per quart; sugar, eight cents a pound; beans, 19 cents; potatoes, \$1 a hundred; German coal, \$25 per ton (did cost—there is no more to be had now). Prime beef is \$22 per cord, birch and pine considerably cheaper. Coffee is doled out once in a great while, every six weeks or so, by the government, a quarter pound to the head. A little tea might be secured up in some places in the country at \$20 a pound; chocolate \$1.50 and in limited quantity. But the Scandinavian people have one great advantage over people living where there is little or no fish to be had. We can any day buy the best kind of codfish at 12 cents a pound, and fine, fat, fresh herring for 15 and 20 cents, besides other kinds of salt water fish.

"Cotton and woolen goods are soon out of sight and like everything else which Sweden usually imports, there is nothing coming into the country. If the war continues a year or two longer and the United States refuses to sell the most necessary articles for the people to exist on, dire distress will stare the Scandinavian nations in the face, and even actual famine, with all its consequences, will follow. Sweden's grain crops this year were considerably under the average in quantity, but fortunately the root crops are good."

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C. E. UTT OF TUSTIN WRITES ABOUT A TRIP INTO MEXICO

Mazatlan, the principal seaport of Sinaloa, is beautifully located between hills and sea and bay; the tide water would entirely surround it but for a "hill" for a roadway from the S. P. station to the city, a distance of two or three miles. Its location just within the Tropic of Cancer insures against frosts and chill weather. Here the coconut palm is much in evidence, and all manner of tropical vegetation may be grown in the gardens. I believe it claims a population of 24,000. There are many large wholesale houses located here, some of them occupying an entire city block; also many manufactures, including a large iron works which covers several acres, and would be a credit to the city of Los Angeles—indeed, they do work that no iron works in Los Angeles turns out, such as building boilers and steam engines, large pumps, etc.

Mazatlan Hotels

There are a number of hotels at Mazatlan. We were directed by friends in Culiacan to the Felton House which is kept by Americans and where American cooking is furnished. The rooms are large, and the accommodations good, with moderate prices. It is not often that American cooking can be had on the west coast. The houses of the town are usually of one story, some of two stories, and built of brick.

The rooms are large and the ceilings high—from 15 to 20 feet—with large doors and windows, after the manner of Spanish-American building, apparently seeking the coolest possible construction for a warm climate. The streets are paved with cobblestones, and the sidewalks are of cement and stone. A considerable force is busy at work constructing and repairing streets. There are beautiful drives from the city, leading around the rugged hills, and dug out of the solid rock along the sea front where the grand Pacific breaks ceaselessly on a rugged shore.

In the evening, just as the sun was going down, we procured a boat, a dugout, with two skilled boatmen, and had them row us out of the harbor, or rather roadstead, where the ships anchor while their cargoes and passengers are being "lightered" to shore. (The Diaz government had the surveys made, and was just about to commence construction on a sea wall to cost twenty million pesos, which would have given the city a fine and safe harbor)—to a large cave where the sea runs in a couple of hundred feet in the wall of one of the many rocky islands that rise out of the sea. This cave is so large that a small schooner can be run in and hidden from view.

The sensation of being in a boat rising and falling on the waves in the center of a mountain is novel and exciting. Mazatlan is the cleanest and nicest town we have visited in Mexico; indeed it is charming.

Utt Bewitched

I have never before seen a place I would like to make my home, and if ever I am banished from my beloved Lemon Heights, my address will be Mazatlan—the beautiful. The climate in December is perfect, neither hot nor cold, just charming. It fairly made me "dippy," and I broke loose, and reeled off several yards of poetry—now don't be alarmed, dear fellow excursionists, I am not going to make you read the stuff; I merely mention it as illustrating the bewitching charm of a place that could cause a prosy old fellow to make up rhyme. Mazatlan, of course has a cathedral, not so fine looking from the outside as that of Culiacan, but better inside. It also has several parks, and a large promenade where the sea wall keeps back the restless Pacific, foaming at its feet. This promenade is supplied with benches for those who care to loiter along the shore and enjoy the fresh sea air, seasoned with the ocean's spray.

Two or three blocks from the sea wall to the east, is the landing and custom house. On this side the waves do not break, the shore formation giving protection for the ocean swells. Here small boats line the shore, and motor boats are busy towing a few hundred captive Yaqui Indians, men women and children, to a steamer for transportation to plantations in the south, which will doubtless be followed by more "Yaqui outrages." The Yaqui is to Mexico what Mexico is to the world—a problem.

Our stay in Mazatlan must be short, for we have so many places to investigate, so we will have to leave it, after only touching it, so to speak, and explore to the south, as far as Acaponeta.

Acaponeta

The present end of railway navigation on the Southern Pacific is located just within the one-time territory of Tepic, now the State of Nayarit. As this is farthest south for us this trip, perhaps a slight description will

not be amiss. The railroad has been built through to the city of Tepic, about 150 miles farther south, but on account of the bad condition of the road and the country, due to the past seven years' revolutionary disturbances, it has not been in operation for several years, but there is hope that operations may be resumed soon, and doubtless they will be if political conditions improve. An auto stage service, operated by a German, makes daily trips between here and Tepic, and as the stage is "held up" very often by bandits, and the passengers robbed, we thought best to end our excursions here and return north.

The territory of Tepic has always been one of the hot beds of outlawry; even in the days of the Diaz reign, banditry was not entirely suppressed, and now, under the past seven years of anarchy, as the tides of revolution have swept back and forth over this section, banditry has assumed the dignity and proportions of an industry. Roving bands of armed men live off the country, robbing travelers and citizens and occasionally capturing and holding some wealthy citizen for ransom.

Brief Description

Now for a brief description of Acaponeta. Located about one hundred and twenty miles southeast of Mazatlan and about thirty miles inland in a fertile valley of the river of the same name, there is nothing about it much different from hundreds of very old Mexican towns. As the train draws into the station at 3:30 p. m., there is the usual crowd of ragged, dirty, and curious loafers and peddlers awaiting us. Two or three very old and dilapidated hacks, apparently of the vintage of 1848, are waiting to convey the very few passengers who can afford the price, to the business part of the town, a quarter of a mile away. These hacks are drawn by very small and dejected looking mules and horses, but the drivers are fat and contented.

We are now in the land of the large hat, worn mostly by the peon class—the middle class rarely using them. These hats are made usually of straw or palm leaf, and cost from forty cents to five dollars, silver, (always divide silver prices by two to get American gold standard) and are from two to three feet in diameter. Their brims are turned up, and of sufficient strength to become a good basket wherein on occasion the native deposits such parcels as he may desire up to twenty or thirty pounds. Carrying parcels on the head is the favorite mode of porting here. Some of these hats weigh ten pounds or more, although usually they are not so heavy. They tell us that farther south they have even larger hats—"twice as large"—so our curiosity is piqued, and we hope to sometime make another trip to verify the report.

Acaponeta seems to be a very old town—it looks two or three hundred years old. The streets are narrow, and in the business section paved with cobble stones sloping from the curb to the center, thus forming one gutter instead of two, as with us. This form of paving and drainage is often employed in Spanish American towns. The sidewalks are from two to four feet in width, excepting in rare instances—that around the "plaza" being about twenty feet in width, and those fronting the plaza of ample width and constructed of cement, (the usual construction is the large brick of the country, also used in building, and sandstone paving blocks.) It scarcely need be said that usually the streets and sidewalks are in very bad repair, as is most everything else in Mexico.

How They Build

Mexican houses with only the rarest exceptions are built flush with the sidewalk, are usually of one story, and from the outside present an uninviting if not forbidding appearance. After passing the portals through the hallway, one may find himself suddenly in a palace surrounding a patio or garden wherein are growing many beautiful and rare plants, the air laden with the perfume of flowers and bird song, or perhaps the song of maidens, the daughters of the family, accompanying themselves with any instrument that fancy may choose.

We were ushered through the hallway of our hotel to the patio. This, surrounded by a tile roofed porch of ample width, provides dining room, sitting room, and overflow bedrooms, where we shall sleep—the bedrooms all being taken. This affords the same privacy that a Pullman, minus the curtains, gives. Eight or ten cots in a row, separated by a few feet of delightfully balmy clear air, will afford rest for as many people of both sexes.

Our baggage disposed of, we sallied out to see the town. Our first venture is a cigar and cigarette factory exactly across the street. Cigars are not much used in Mexico, so only two men are making them, just as they do in the United States; but with cigarettes it is different; perhaps eight or ten women and girls sit with boxes or trays of pulverized tobacco on their laps, busily rolling fat short cigarettes. It is astonishing how rapidly they work, making from three to six hundred per hour. They pick up a wrapper, fill it with tobacco, roll, and press the ends with a small metal point worn on the end of the finger of the right hand. So skillful do they become that each cigarette appears to contain the same amount of tobacco, and present the uniformity of machine work. I know nothing with us that more nearly compares with the skill and speed of this labor, than the orange packing done by piece work in our packing houses. No paste is used in forming the cigarette, but the little paper containers in which are packed a dozen cigarettes are hand pasted, and so quickly made that I noted thirteen turned out in a minute. These women earn about a peso a day.

Lights of Town

Passing through the town, past the city market, around the plaza, past the very old church, past the Palacio Municipal, we pick our way amidst all sorts of piratical looking people, ragged, dirty, and naked children, troops of dogs, pigs, chickens, goats, etc., etc., to the river just outside the town.

where scores of the women folk have repaired to do the family laundry. No tubs or benches are required. Madam just squats in the shallow water, and soaks and rubs until the garment is clean; then steps to the shore and spreads it on a bush to dry—hundreds of them adorning the scrub of the river bottom. Thus is the thorny mesquite made to bloom, if not like the rose, at least like the back alley of a tenement house.

The river supplies the town with water, not by means of pipes, but by the ancient and romantic method of being carried into town in jars on the heads of women and girls. The men, having the more important duties of politics, plotting, and street loafing to attend to, are never seen carrying water, with the exception of those who make a business of purveying water to those who care to buy.

These water vendors range from wholesalers who bring in barrels on carts, and bags on donkeys, to the retailers who carry two pails balanced on a pole, and shout their wares, "Sweet water," or "Iced water," delivering by the glass to whoever cares to buy. I believe there is a legend, that once a very long time ago a woman stumbled, and her jar of water falling from her head, the liquid was spilled, and the jar striking a stone was broken.

This seems quite reasonable, and physically possible, but, like the Scotchman, "I ha' ma doots," for I have often watched these hapless drudges at their tasks in hopes of seeing a reputation of the miracle, but in hundreds of instances have never seen even the suggestion of mishap. I have concluded that if this event took place, it was a miracle of the "first water" and deserves rank along side of that of the "Lady of Guadalupe," but then there seems no danger of water ever figuring in any way as a patron saint of Mexico. These water carriers wrap a towel around the crown of the head in such a manner as to form a cushion or cradle for the water-jar, and in going for water usually carry the jar tilted to one side, but in returning full, it is carefully and perpendicularly poised, and the jar being slightly narrowed at the top, not a drop is spilled.

These women and girls step along quickly and surely, their normal, wholesome gait being in marked contrast with the mincing, awkward stumping of their high-heeled, high-schooled, high-browed, high-living, and high-others-things sisters of the north.

The Passers-By

As we sit by the roadside enjoying our Yankee lunch, brought all the way from Mazatlan, a strange stream of humanity flows past: The water carriers, the women returning with their laundry, husbandmen returning with the fruits of the field in their carts, a heavy cartload of wood drawn by two yoke of oxen, a coal burner, his horse small donkeys laden with several sacks of coals for sale in the town, men on horses or mules and burros, all with large machettas for brush cutting slung to their saddles, (the machetta is the first and most necessary article of the Mexican's equipment—with it he clears a way through the thorny brush, chops wood, clears land for farming, uses it to harvest his garbanzas, builds his house of brush with its aid, and in time of combat finds it a useful and handy weapon). All these, and more are passing, but the sun has dropped into the west and we must hasten back to town.

We hoped that the band would play in the plaza, but as this was not to be, we sought the one opera house instead. There, in a narrow street in front of the opera house, was seated the small orchestra occasionally giving a sample of their goods to draw the crowd. Also there were two tables spread with sweetmeats, and their proprietors were busily dispensing their wares.

A couple of soft drink men proclaimed in loud professional tones the virtue of their drinks, "Iced barley," "Frozen," "Goes down like grease," etc., etc. "Barley," be it observed, is a composition of finely ground barley and water, slightly sweetened and iced. It is often found for sale at five centavos the glass, two and one-half cents of our money. Also, I must not forget the peanut merchant, sitting on the pavement with his stock of trade spread in little heaps on a mat before him. He is ready for business, but he does not say "Five a bag," no, they are only a penny a bag, a Mexican penny at that—peanuts are one of the things that are markedly cheaper in Mexico.

Attend the Theatre

We go to the ticket window for tickets. The reserved seats are disposed of differently than with us. The salesman has a board with holes in it, each hole representing a seat; and the ticket rolled up like a stick and deposited in the hole. As the purchasers select their seats the tickets are pulled out and delivered, thus showing at a glance which seats are sold and unsold. We take our seats and listen to the orchestra, an eight-piece affair, base viol, cello, two violins, two flutes, and two cornets.

The fiddlers have the best of the cornets, for they can keep right on sucking their cigarettes while playing, while the others are under the sad necessity of removing theirs, while they blow a few notes out of their instruments. I take it that the fiddlers must get better wages than the violinists to compensate them for this loss. The orchestra makes very pleasant music, and the players, six or eight of them, give a very nice and well executed show, considering they have no scenery and have to have the lines read by a prompter. After the main play, two of the actors occupy twenty minutes or a half hour in giving a very amusing farce. I have seen only six plays in Mexico, but if they are a fair sample, the Mexican stage is a much more wholesome affair than our own.

We met in Acaponeta a mine manager whose mines were farther south near Santiago. He related to us how bandits caught him in the town of Acaponeta, and held him for ransom, only a few hundred pesos, and got it; also how when he was driven away from his mine, his peon workmen warned him of the approaching danger, had the horses provided at proper points for his get-away, and kept the pumps going in his mine in shape to continue operations when he returned after a few months absence, gathering their food from the fields as best they could—for while he was gone there was no one to pay their

wages. I repeat this as a refutation to the oft-repeated statement that there is no dependability in the Mexican peon.

We only stay in Acaponeta overnight and take the train back to Mazatlan and from there north, with stops at Culiacan and other points to visit sugar factories and heniquen plantations and many points of interest, to Los Mochis where we will spend a week with friends before returning to California. We will have to bring this tour to a close with a final article on "Los Mochis," leaving out many interesting side trips.

C. E. UTT.

AMUSEMENTS

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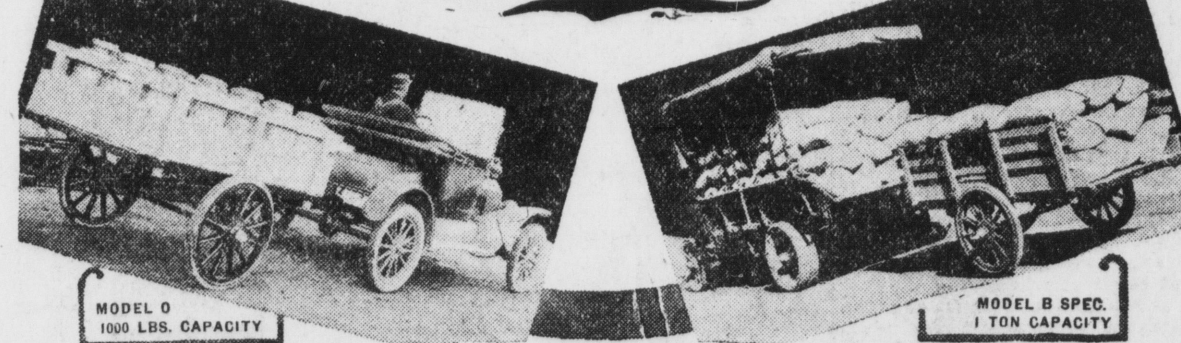
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